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DATE: 4/12/73

FROM

SAC, ALBANY (100-23374) (C)

SUBJECT:

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IS - REVACT (00: Albany)

Re New York letter to Bureau, dated 2/12/73, entitled, VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR (VVAW), IS-RA, 00: CHICAGO".

Enclosed herewith for the Bureau are five copies of an LHM regarding captioned subject.

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No further investigation of is being 67C conducted as there is no evidence of a chapter of the VVAW at Cobleskill, New York.

In view of investigation conducted, it is felt subject does not fit in a category to warrant inclusion in the ADEX.

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Third source is same college.



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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Albany, New York

April 12, 1973



On January 19, 1973, a confidential source who has furnished reliable information in the past furnished an up-to-date two page document issued by the New York Regional Office of the Vietnam Veterans Against the War, which sets forth a list of New York State and Chapter Coordinators, which included captioned individual, RD #1, Cobleskill, New York - no telephone.

The Vietnam Veterans Against the War (VVAM) is a national organization composed primarily of veterans of the war in Vietnam, that has organized and participated in numerous demonstrations against the war in Vietnam during 1970-72, including the seizure of the Statue of Liberty, New York City, and the occupation of the Betsy Ross House, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, in December, 1971. Six memoers of the VVAM were indicted by a Federal Grand Jury, Tallahassee, Florida, July, 1972, on charge of conspiracy to violate the Federal Antiriot Law.

On March 13, 1973, a second confidential source who has furnished reliable information in the past advised is currently a student at New York State University, Cobleskill Tech, Cobleskill, New York. He said was enrolled in the two year Associate of Stience Degree Program pursuing a Major in

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This source stated there was no organization regarding the Vietnam Veterans on campus. He stated from time to time Veterans did get together on campus to discuss what rights they were entitled to under the GI Bill and has attended these meetings where this source has been present and he is certain there is no chapter for the VVAW.

On the same date, a third confidential source who has furnished reliable information in the past advised was unknown to him. He stated a Directory of College Students shows is a student at that college and resides off campus.



On March 29, 1973, an attempt was made to contact at his home for the purpose of intriviewing him regarding the VVAW. A white, feel, it residence, identifying herself as stated she would have contact the Agent.

was contacted at his request at Cobleskill Tech, Cobleskill, New York, for the purpose of setting up an interview with the at his home. He stated he would refuse to be interviewed.

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On March 13, 1973, Patrolman Cobleskill, New York Police Department, advised his records were negative concerning

Director, FBI (100-448092) TO

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TO FBIHQ AND INTERESTED OFFICES. THEREAFTER, FORM FD-306 SHOULD BE SUBMITTED TO ALBUQUERQUE IN ACCORDANCE WITH SAC LETTER 72-3 (C) REGARDING REPORTING OF RESULTS OF COVERAGE OF SUBVERSIVE CONFERENCES.

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A review of captioned matter indicates the need for an updated thumbnail sketch regarding the VVAW.

It is noted that communications from other officee have set forth various thumbnail sketchee regarding the VVAW. Also, since Chicago was designated as Office of origin in this matter, there has been no change in the thumbnail.

During the January, 1973, VVAW National Steering Committee meeting, it was proposed that the name "Winter Soldier" he incorporated into the VVAW organizational name; however, thie matter wae deferred until the National Steering Committee meeting, to be held in Placitas, New Mexico, in April, 1973.

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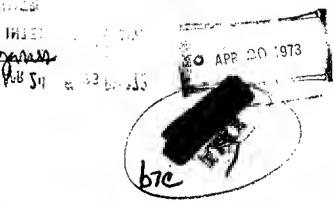
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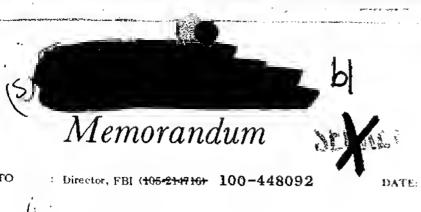
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ALL INFORMATION DATE: 4/12/73 HEREIN IS UNCL SAC. ALBANY (100-23326)

SUBJECT:

VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR (VVAW) ONEONTA, NEW YORK IS - REVACT

(00: Albany)

Re New York letter to Bureau, dated 2/12/73, entitled, "VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR (VVAW), IS-RA, 00: CHICAGO", an Albany Letter to Bureau, dated 4/5/73, entitled, aka, IS-REVACT, The state of the file

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Enclosed for the Bureau are five copies of an LHM concerning captioned matter.

Two copies of this LHM are designated for Chicago, inasmuch as Chicago is Office of Origin of VVAW, Chicago file 100-50772.

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Sources familiar with activities at New York State University, Oneonta, New York, referred to in enclosed LHM are as follows:

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Albany, New York April 12, 1973

VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR (VVAW)
Oneonta, New York

On December 11, 1972, a confidential source who has furnished reliable information in the past advised that a conference of the New York Region of the Vietnam Veterans Against the War (VVAW) was held at Oneonta, New York on December 9 through 10, 1972. (CONFIDENTIAL)

The Vietnam Veterans Against the War (VVAW) is a national organization composed primarily of veterans of the war in Vietnam that has organized and participated in numerous demonstrations against the war in Vietnam during 1970 through 1972, including the seizure of the Statue of Liberty, New York City, and the occupation of the Betsy Ross House, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, in December, 1971. Six members of the VVAW were indicted by a Federal Grand Jury, Tallahassee, Florida, July, 1972, on charges of conspiracy to violate the Federal Antiriot Law.

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The initial session began on December 9, 1972, and those in attendance was

(CONFIDENTIAL). The final session of the enference was held at the residence of New York, on December 10,

that the Vietnam Veterans Against the War do anything and everything to assist the Free Peoples of Indo China, defeat genocidal aggression, United States imperialism, to develop an anti-imperialist consciousness among American people by relevant programs of mass indoctrination.

On January 19, 1973, a second confidential source who has furnished reliable information in the past furnished an up-to-date two page document issued by the New York Regional Office of the VVAW, in which he set forth a list of New York State and that ter coordinators which included Oneonta, New York, telephone number

On January 16, 1973, a third confidential source who has furnished reliable information in the past stated had never been arrested by the Oneonta, New York Police Department. Source stated was a graduate of the Oneonta, New York High School and had served a tour with the United States Army in Vietnam. Source was aware of the fact attempted to organize a Vietnam Veterans Against the War chapter at Oneonta, New York, but had been unsuccessful due to the fact subject was not a leader and the fact that students at the college, where subject attended had never been successful in organizing any





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types of groups. Source stated would be easily influenced to participate in temperations regarding anti-war activities.

located and interviewed at Oneonta, New York. He save his permanent address as

New York but stated he rented a room in meonta, New York, and he had telephone He stated he was presently a student at New York State University, Oneonta, New York. He stated after he was discharged from the United States Army, he became concerned with the wanting peace in Vietnam. He stated one day he was reading a magazine and he saw an advertisement regarding the Vietnam Veterans Against the War organization. wrote to the address, which he does not recall at this time, and requested to join this organization since he is a peace loving person and felt that the war in Vietnam was wrong. He stated he sent a five dollar membership but never received any type of card showing he was a member. He said he has received mail which included brochures and literature concerning the Vietnam Veterans Against the War. He says he has attended some Vietnam Veterans Against the War meetings, but declined to comment when or where the meetings were held.

He stated there was no Vietnam Veterans Against the War chapter at Oneonta, New York, but did state he was a member along with one other individual whom he declined to name.

He further stated he was not a militant individual, did not believe in the overthrow of our government and had no intention of performing any acts





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 which would be anti-American. He stated he is a member of the Vietnam Veterans Against the War only because it represents a peace movement. He believes the organization will soon be disorganized due to the end of the war in Vietnam. He considers himself as a loyal and patriotic American citizen.

Sources familiar with activities at New York State University at Oneonta, New York, who have furnished reliable information in the past advised they have no knowledge of a VVAW chapter at Oneonta, New York.



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TO Acting Director, FBI (100-448092)

DATE: 4/11/73

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FROM MLegat, London (105-5841) (P)

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4/18/73 DATE:

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Re Buffalo airtel to the Bureau, dated 5/26/72, captioned "VVAW; IS - RA;" and Bureau 0-1 received 4/13/73. N/

Referenced Buffalo airtel indicated that subject had been identified as being associated with the Buffalo chapter of the Vietnam Veterans Against the War (VVAW).

This investigation had been predicated on information on 12/1/71 from that subject's name was received on 12/1/71 from contained on a list on the bulletin board in the office shared by the University of Buffalo Veteran's Club and the Buffalo chapter of VVAW. According to source, the list contained the names of persons to contact for information concerning the organizations utilizing the office.

Investigation conducted by the Buffalo Division did not reveal that the subject was in any way connected with the Buffalo chapter of VVAW, or any radical group.

On 9/29/72, 1/18/73, and 4/17/73, who is familiar with the activities of the VVAW at Buffalo and who provided the original information concerning the subject, advised that subject is unknown the him.

who is currently active in the Buffalo chapter of the advised that subject is unknown to him.

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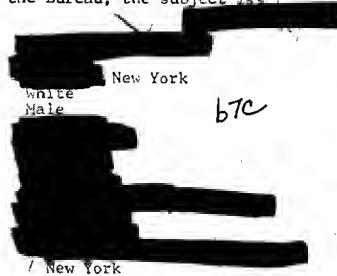
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Director, FBI (100-448092

DATE:

April 17, 1973

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Legal Attache, TOKYO

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SUBJECT:

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ON 4/13/73, A SOURCE, WHO HAS FURNISHED RELIABLE INFORMATION IN THE PAST, FURNISHED THE FOLLOWING:

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FONDA IN HER SPEECH BEFORE A GROUP COMPRISING OF ABOUT 1000 STUDENTS, TOLD ABOUT THE ALLEGED ATROCITIES COMMITTED BY UNITED STATES MILITARY FORCES IN NORTH VIETNAM AND HOW ON THE CONTRARY HEALTHY AMERICAN PRISONERS OF WAR (POW) LOOKED UPON THEIR RETURN TO THE UNITED STATES INSPITE OF REPORTS THAT THEY

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WERE TORTURED BY THE NORTH VIETNAMESE. FONDA ENDEAVORED TO POINT OUT THE NEED FOR FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE IS IN REBUILDING NOHTH VIETNAM ESPECIALLY FOR THE REBUILDING OF MEDICAL FACILITIES WHICH SHE CLAIMED HAD BEEN OESTROYED BY AMERICAN BOMBING IN NORTH VIETNAM. FONDA ADMITTED IN HER SPEECH THERE MAY HAVE BEEN SOME "ISOLATEO INCIDENTS OF TORTURE" OF POW, BUT ADDED THAT "THE POW UPON ARRIVING IN THE UNITED STATES LOOKED AS HEALTHY AS FOOTBALL PLAYERS." FONDA DENIED SHE ACCUSED POWS OF LYING AS SHE HAD BEEN PREVIOUSLY QUOTED BY THE NEWS MEDIA BUT ADDED THERE IS SOME "RESONABLE DOUBT" IN SO FAR AS SHE IS CONCERNED THAT THEY INTENTIONALLY DID LIE.

FONDA AND HER SUPPORTERS WHICH CONSISTED OF APPROXIMATELY

40 INDIVIDUALS, WERE MET WITH GREAT HECKLING AND FONDA WAS

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AND UPON COMPLETION OF HER SPEECH THE GROUP STAGED A MOCK TRIAL

IN WHICH FONDA WAS FOUND GUILTY AND HAMSED IN EFFIGY AS A TRAITOR.

NO. INCIDENTS OF VIOLENCE TOOK PLACE DURING THIS RALLY.

JANE FONDA IS A PROMINENT MOTION PICTURE ACTRESS WHO HAS BEEN PUBLICALLY IDENTIFIED AS MILITANTLY OPPOSED TO THE WAR IN VIETNAM.

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OF VETERANS OF THE VIETNAM WAR WHICH HAS CONDUCTED DEMONSTRATIONS AGAINST THE WAR DURING 1972-1973. ITS FIRST
PUBLISHED OBJECTIVE IS TO DEMAND AN IMMEDIATE STOP OF
FIGHTING AND WITHDRAWAL OF ALL AMERICAN TROOPS FROM INDOCHINA.

ADMINISTRATIVE: 63.

UNITED STATES ATTORNEY, UNITED STATES SECRET SERVICE, MILITARY INTELLIGENCE AGENCIES, LOS ANGELES POLICE DEPARTMENT COGNIZANT.

NO LHM FOLLOWS.

LOS ANGELES WILL FOLLOW AND REPORT ACTIVITIES OF FONDA AND THE VVAW.

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DATE: 4/17/73

SAC, MILWAUKEE (100-15674) (P)

SUBJECT: VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR (VVAW) IS - RA

> For information of the Bureau, provided the following information on 3/11//3:

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Source advised that whenever a returned prisoner of war (POW) makes a public appearance or statement concerning his captivity or the Vietnam war, the Vietnam Veterans Against the War (VVAW) will make a public appearance or statement contradicting the POW's statement or attempt to degrade the POW. This action is supposedly supported by the National VVAW headquartered in Chicago, Illinois.

To date, some POWs returning to Wisconsin have made public statements with no retaliation by the local VVAW chapter. Source also advised that instructions have been given to local VVAW people that if they are interviewed by FBI Agents, they are to get their full names, badge and credential numbers as well as car license plate numbers.

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ACTING DIRECTOR, FBI

DATE: 4/18/73

FROM

SAC, BUFFALO (100-22063) (C)

SUBJECT:

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Investigation of captioned subject was based on information furnished by who advised that the name of captioned individual along with others, was on a bulletin board at the Buffalo Vietnam Veterans Against the War (VVAW) office as a person to be contacted for information concerning VVAW.

Investigation failed to locate or develop any information re captioned individual. Contact with logical informants and local law enforcement agencies concerning subject all resulted negatively. Recontact with determined that captioned individual was unknown to source b7D and source could furnish no further information.

Based on the above and the absence of any VVAW activity on the part of captioned individual, no further investigation is being conducted in this matter.

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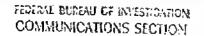




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VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR (VVAW) NATIONAL STEERING COMMITTEE (NSC) MEETING, PLACITAS, NEW MEXICO, 4/19-23/73 IS.- RA.

ON 4/20/73, CONFIDENTIAL SOURCE, WHO HAS FURNISHED
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Albuquerque, New Mexico April 17, 1973

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On March 20, 1973, a confidential source who has furnished reliable information in the past advised that was assisting in making arrangements for the forthcoming VVA National Steering Committee meeting to be held at Placitas, New Mexico, April 19-23, 1973.

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New Mexico, in June, 1972, and was admitted to the september, 1972, where she is currently probled. Her permanent residence is listed as New Mexico.

There is no record of in the files of the Albuquerque Office of the FBI, Albuquerque Police Department, Bernalillo County Sheriff's Office, or the Albuquerque Credit Bureau.

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Mitchell Summoned in Protest Trial

PENSACOLA, Fig. (AP)— A federal judge has ordered former Attorney General John Mitchell to appear in court here Wednesday as a defense witness in a pretrial hearing for eight antiwar

activists.

I.S. District-Court Judge
Winston Aldow overculed a
motion Tuesday by an attorney representing Mitchell to quash a subpoens issued by lawyers for the activists;

accused of plotting to dis-rupt the Republican National Convention last summer. Arhow said he would re-quire Mitchell to be present in connection with a defense effort to tle this in with the Watergate

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Acting Director, FBI

DATE: 4/18/73

SAC, Albany (100-23375) (C)

SUBJECT:

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(00: Albany)

Re New York letter to Bureau dated 2/12/73 entitled VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR (VVAN), IS - REVACT; CO: CHICAGO".

Enclosed for the Bureau are five copies of an LHM regarding captioned subject.

Interview of was conducted by Special Agent along with other investigation in LAM.

Albany cases, REVACT. Albany File 19 - 23378; IS - REVACT, Albany File 100-23322

> No further investigation being conducted regarding subject, and he is not being recommended for ADEX inasmuch as interview with subject and investigation does not show there is a VVAW Chapter at Delhi, New York and also because interview with subject does not show he is dangerous to the national security. potentially

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Second source utilized is Delhi, New York.

Other established sources contacted at Delhi, New York, familiar with VVAL activities are as follows:

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On January 19, 1973, a confidential source who has furnished reliable information in the past, furnished an up-to-date two page document issued by the New York Regional Office of the Vietnam Veterans Against the War (VVAW), which set forth a list of New York State and chapter coordinators which included one New York, telephone number 607-

The Vietnam Veterans Against the War (VVAW) is a national organization composed primarily of veterans of the war in Vietnam that has organized and participated in numerous demonstrations against the war in Vietnam during 1970-72, including the seizure of the Statue of Liberty, New York City, and the occupation of the Betsy Ross House, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, in December, 1971. Six members of the VVAW were indicted by a Federal Grand Jury, Tallahassee, Florida, July, 1972, on charges of conspiracy to violate the Federal Antiriot Law.

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ne considered nimer of a triotic citizen, who had served his country when needed and does not consider himself as being militant or revolutionist. He stated he would make no other statements at this time, and at this point the interview was terminated.

Sources in position to have knowledge of activities of the VVAN at Delhi, New York were contacted with negative results concerning a chapter in existence in the Village of Delhi.





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Reference

Albany letter and memorandum dated and captioned as above.

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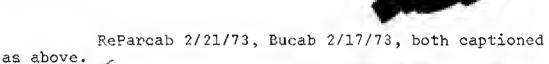
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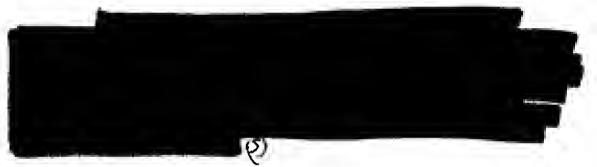
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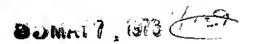
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DATE: 4/27/73

FROM

ATLANTA (100-8910) (RUC)

SUBJECT: VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR

(VVAW), INC., aka

IS - RA

00: CHICAGO

Re Atlanta letter to Bureau, 12/21/72, with enclosed LHM.

Referenced communication set forth status of Georgia VVAW, highlighting its development and subsequent demise.

Since that time, there has been no indication of any effort to reactivate.

In the absence of any outstanding leads, this matter being placed in RUC status until such time as circumstances may warrant otherwise.

Chicago (100-50772)

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO :ACTING DIRECTOR, FBI

DATE: 4/24/73

SAC, DENVER (100-10886) (C)

SUBJECT

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(00: Denver)

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Re St. Louis letter to Denver, dated 3/22/73.

This case was opened during January, 1972, and since that time, subject has resided in the Ft. Collins, Colorado area with other members of the VVAW. Monitoring of subject's activities determined that he was inactive while in the Ft. Collins area and also that the local VVAW chapter is no longer in existance at CSU or Ft. Collins, Colorado.

Review of material furnished by the St. Louis Division in referenced letter shows that subject was in the from to

During this time, subject acquired the rank of and his specialty was

technician

and the related civilian people of that specialty is

Review of subject's records show
that he received only the normal firearms training and did
not specialize in demolitions. Further review of his

fecords show that subject was released from for the good of the service with an honorable discharge. Subject's Military records also showed that he

showed that he

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Denver recommends that this case be closed since subject has demonstrated no propensity for violence while in the Ft. Collins, Colorado area and since the VVAW is no longer in existance in Ft. Collins. It is not recommended that subject be interviewed since he at no time demonstrated any leadership in the VVAW chapter in Ft. Collins area.

- Bureau (RM) - Denver

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It is also felt that nothing would be gained by the interview of subject since he has demonstrated continually an uncooperative attitude toward authority while in the military and civilian life.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

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TO ACTING DIRECTOR, FBI DATE:

4/25/73

FROM

PITTSBURGH (100-17570) (C)

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Enclosed for the Bureau are five copies of an LHM pertaining to FD-376 regarding stapled to this I.m.

is identified on a Non-Symbol Source Administrative Page attached for the Bureau.

activities have been evaluated with regard / to current ADEX guidelines and it is felt he does not meet current criteria and, therefore, he is not being recommended for inclusion in ADEX.

was not interviewed because it was felt an interview would be non productive in view of the lack of activities on the part of subject and the Pittsburgh Chapter of the VVAW.

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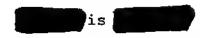
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Other informants contacted during January and February, 1973, and who could furnish no information concerning the subject are as follows:

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The identity of the source concealed is as follows:

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20535

April 25, 1973

Director United States Secret Service Department of the Treasury Washington, D. C. 20220

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Dear Sir:

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The information furnished herewith concerns an individual or organization believed to be covered by the agreement between the FBI and Secret Service concerning protective responsibilities, and to fall within the category or categories checked.

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 U. S. Secret Service , Pittsburgh, Pa.

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania

April 25, 1973

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Tegional Clearinghouse." Pittsbur h, Pennsylvania, Vietnam

Veterans Against the War (VVIII). Was named in this

letter as a first the Allegheny Region

(West Virginia, Western Pennsylvania, Western Maryland).

The Pittsburgh Chapter of the VVAW was formed during 1971, primarily to bring immediate cessation of fighting and the withdrawal of all American personnel from Indochina.

On May 15, 1972, Credit Bureau of West Virginia, advised that wife, was listed as a college net set forth. She advise there was no additional information regarding in file.

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676 Ohio County Sheriff's Office, Wheeling, mest lighta, advised that their respective files indicated no identifiable information concerning

On August 25, 1372 vise that date of birth , place of birth West Virginia, attend est Liberty State College, West Liberty West Virginia, 1r. , to the summer of *b*70 advised that had an interest in noted that as or ha not registered for noted that the fall semester. home address West Virginia was listed as that advised no information had been received indicating had engaged in any radical revolutionary or extremist activities nor was there known to be any organization on campus involving VVAW.

On October 18, 1972, advised that returned to West Liberty State College in late was taking a course with a majority it his courses being directed to the Police Science field.

Informants familiar with some phases of the Communist Party, revolutionary and related activities in the Western Pennsylvania - West Virginia area when contacted during January and February, 1971, could furnish no information regarding

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OPTIONAL PORM NO. 10 MAY 1912 ELECTION GSA FPMR (41 GFR) 101-11.5

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TO

ACTING DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448092) DATE: 4/26/73

FROM

SAC, NEWARK (100-53565) P*

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SUBJECT:

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VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE

WAR (VVAW)

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(00:CHICAGO)

Re: Newark letter to Bureau, dated 12/15/72; Chicago memo of SA dated 2/20/73.

The fullowing investigation was conducted by SA at Camden, N.J:

on 3/27/73,

tive Rentals, Inc., 7111 Apre W., Immarken, N.J., advised he was unable to locate any record dealing with a 1968 Ford, Serial Number 8U58F113713, as being owned by Automotive Rentals, Inc., but recalled that he believed that the vehicle in question may possibly be the one that his company had been unable to account for over the weekend of 1/6-1/7/73. There was no record of the vehicle having been rented during this period and no knowledge of who may have used the vehicle during this period of time. He also recalled that upon locating the vehicle on the premises, it had an unaccounted for 700 or 800 miles registered on the odometer, was unable to furnish any additional information regarding the inetant vehicle.

The following investigation was conducted by SA at Trenton, N.J:

On March 27, 1973, Section, New Jersey, New Jersey Department of Mot F inicise, Trenton, New Jersey, advised that her records failed to reflect any information identifiable with Serial Number 8058F113713. She advised, therefore, that the serial number in question is not registered in the State of New Jersey. REC-7.

Sources familiar with the VVAW were contacted during the months of March and April and knew of no current activity on the part of the New Jersey chapter:

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ACTING DIRECTOR, FBI

4/27/73 DATE:

SAC, NEW HAVEN (100-21634) (C)

SUBJECT:

Captioned individual has been under investigation by the New Haven Office for the past year, hased on information furnished hy indicating that a manher of the Viet Au Yeterans Arainst the Rr. (VIAN)

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reveal that he was

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In view of the above, it is not felt by the New Haven of the that is a candidate for ADEX and no further investigation is being conducted.

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UNITED STATES GOVI, AMENT

Memorandum

TO

ACTING DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448092)

DATE:

4/30/73

FROM

SAC, WFO (100-47162) (P)

SUBJECT:

VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE

WAR (VVAW)

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Re WFO letter and LHM to Bureau dated 2/13/73.

For intermation of Bureau, on 4/19/73, and aka former Washington, D. C. (WDC) was contacted in the vicinity of 30 ennsylvania Avenue, S.E., WDC, and advised the following:

stated that he is relieved in getting a for his the stated that he is not actively involved in any VVAW activity since there is no current VVAW activity in the WDC area. Stated that because of the does not plan to get involved in any activities that might cause him to get in trouble

He stated is currently resident at at a with at attack he is currently dating

was asked about the Committee for Action/
Research on the Intelligence Community (CARIC) which has
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one week and s, oken rither freely about he, his new venture. member ir minimalphia, are and g to and get CARIC off the ground, but have only published one paper to date. was excited about the prospects get xcited over everything he gets of CARIC u involved with out wondered how long the enthusiasm would last. that he purchased a copy of CARIC at the Community BOOKStore, WDC, but found nothing too original or exciting about the publication. He stated, in his opinion, if the publication continues the way it is going it is possible it will not last through two more issues.

WDC and is living with but he is not sure of the exact address.

that he is currently holding down two jobs with , WDC, and He stated that he is ho ing in the near future to go into as a with

Countries ! was asked if he knows any contact with SCOTT CAMIL or has told him he knows JUNES PRINTING CAMIL and KNIFFIN ut the last maintained contact with these individuals. numerous occasions mentioned that he thinks "I'll and KNIFFIN are being given a raw deal by the Government and that the Government case a ainst the in Florida will not stand up in court. The been out of the D. C. area for the past wire weeks, at is exected back shortly. He stated he has no idea where but assumed he returned to where calls nome.

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TO

: ACTING DIRECTOR. FBI

4/23/73 DATE:

FROM : SAC, PHOEN IX (100-8218) (C)

SUBJECT:

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Enclosed for Bureau are original and five (5) copies of an LHM concerning the subject, some of the material in which has already been furnished to the Bureau under Phoenix file 98-33 captioned

aka SABOTAGE."

INFORMANTS:

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mentioned in the details of the LHM, is an esta lished source at the University of Arizona.

In view of the fact that all investigation conducted has established that the subject is not presently involved in revolutionary or extremist activities, that there is nothing in his past history to indicate a propensity for violence and he does not otherwise meet the current criteria for the ADEX, this matter is being placed in a closed status in the Phoenix Division.

Bureau (Encl.-6) 100-44 Phoenix

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

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Phoenix, Arizona April 23, 1973

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on December 21, 1972, information was received from one a person of questionable reliability, to the effect that others who were connected with the Vietnam Veterans Against the War (VVAW) in Tucson were conspiring to damage or destroy U.S. aircraft during an antiwar demonstration outside Davis-Monthan Air Force Base on the night of December 24, 1972.

VVAW is an antiwar organization organized in 1967 and headquartered in New York City. Its published objective is to "demand an immediate cessation of fighting and the withdrawal of all American troops from Indochina." VVAW has participated in several demonstrations, including massive demonstrations in Washington, D.C., April 19-23, 1971.

on December 22, 1972, who has furnished reliable information in the past and who is acquainted with several members of the VVAW in Tucson, advised that about six representatives of the VVAW plan to demonstrate in the above-mentioned demonstration.

On December 23, 1972, records of the at the Military Personnel Records Center and that Selective Service Number with the U.S. to when he was monorally discussed.

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On January 22, 1973, advised he had been in contact with the contact with

On January 29, 1973, Detective

Special Investigations Unit, Tucson Folice
Department, advised an antiwar demonstration took place outside the DMAFB on the afternoon of January 20, 1973, during which several persons previously identified belonging to the VVAW in Tucson were observed advised that he did not observe with this group.

On February 26, 1973,

Security, University of Arizona, advised that

was a student at the UA until January,

failed to register for the Trip semester.

be had no information involved in any student radical activities on the UA campus and that the VVAW chapter has become defunct since the signing of the truce in Vietnam.

Tucson Police Department, supra, advised is not known to be presently en a ed in revolutionary or extremist matters in Tucson.

Information is that the VVAW and the signing of the truce in Vietnam.

On March 6, 1973, who has in the past furnished reliable information concerning revolutionary and extremist groups and individuals in Tucson, was contacted

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UNITED STATES GOODERNMENT

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TO

ACTING DIRECTOR, FBI

LEGAT, TOKYO

SUBJECT

VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR (VVAW)

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PACIFIC COUNSELING SERVICE (PCS)

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BUfile 14-3079

TOKfile 100-731

Enclosed for the Bureau's information are two copies of a report by US Naval Investigation Service Office, Japan, concerning a new publication by VVAW at Yokosuka, Japan, which will, apparently replace a ICS publication.

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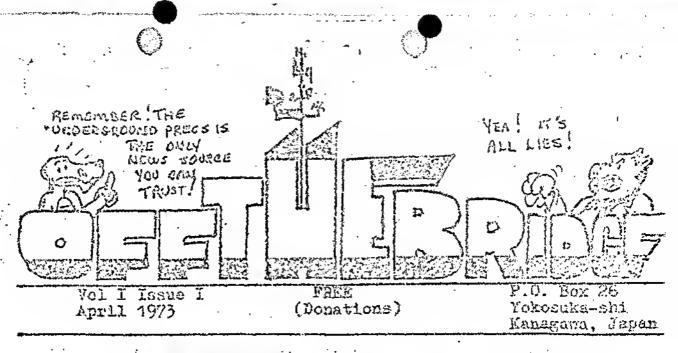
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Off the Bridge is published at the New People's Center, about a 5 minute's walk from the main gate of Yokosuka base. The center is also the VVAW-Yokosuka chapter meeting place.

We have at the Center

FREE LEGAL COUNSELING with trained civilian counselors and a civilian attorney. Need to know your rights more fully than the military tells you?? Want some information on discharges available?? Getting busted for something you feel is unjust?? We have booklets and guides, written by active duty people, rapping down the UCMJ and your rights under it.

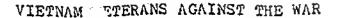
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MOVEMENT LETERATURE AND NEWSPAPERS from everywhere int the world, from dozens of GI movement centers, radical labor unions, black liberation papers. Take some and spread it around; it beats Stars and Bars for the truth.

The first floor we've made into a kind of a coffee house with cooking facilities and a sound system. You're welcome to come by any day but Monday(we're closed for a collective meeting) between 3pm-12pm.

"NO MAN IS GOOD ENOUGH TO BE ANOTHER MAN'S MASTER"





· WHO WE ARE ? WHAT WE DO ?

Vietnam Veterans Against the War is an organization which began in 1967 in New York City when sixx antiwar veterans marched in a demostration under the banner "Vietnam Veterans Against the War". This was the first public action by the group with many more to come. VVAW has participated in marches throughout the United States. In spring of 1971 VVAW sponsore: the throwing away of war medals by 1100 veterans on the steps of the Capital Building in Washington) It was also VVAW who symbolically siezed the statuof liberty in New York during Christmas of 1971. In early 1972 VVAW started to develop ties with the local communities to get at the basis of problems in our country. And as these ties grew, so did the organization. First into a trylu national organization and now into an international group. There are chapters in Iwakuni Japan, Okinawa, and Cermany as well as <u>Yokosuka</u>.

With the signing of the "peace treaty" VVAW activities are now becoming more and more important. Some of the programs in the States are - military counseling, doing research on post-vietnam syndrome: working as volunteers in local VA hospitals, aiding handicapped veterans in finding jobs. Here in Yokosuka our activities take the form of staffing a center where people can come without getting ripped off, providing counseling for discharges; a lawyer who will defend people for free; and fighting back at the lifers when they start to fuck with one ofus. At the center there are folk and rock concerts from time to time. VVAW is also beginning a campaign to oppose the homeporting of the Midway in Yokosuka we feel that we all should be sent home, NOT have more sent here.

Membership in VVAW is open to all active duty people and veterans alike, regardless if you have actually been to Vietnam or not. If you were or ar now in the service you know what war is like - always fighting the lifers. To join VVAW all you have to do is read the list of objectives and agre: withthem, fill out the application form (obtainable from PO Box 26, Yokosuka) and contribute \$5.00 membership dues to help support the ongoing program For more information contact : while

.... Vietnam Veterans Against the War 78 P.O. Box 26 Yokosuka-shi

Kanagawa-ken, Japan 🧦



VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR

List of Objectives

- 1. To demand an immediate end to all fighting in Indochina. Withdrawal of all fighting troops from Southeast Asia.
- 2. To demand the immediate end of United States operations interfering with the rights of all people to determine their own destinies. This includes the end of all CIA operations.
- 3. To demand that all active duty people be given all those rights guaranteed by the Bill of Rights and the Constitution.
- 4. To demand that those who don't want to be in the military be released immediately. All political prisoners be set free.
- 5. We demand that all vetorans recieve the same in the rights and benefits under the VA. That everyone recieve the same kind of discharge, and that everyone recieve disability compensation based on the degree of disability and NOT on the rank or length of service.
- 6. To make clear that the United States never has undertaken an investigation of war crimes. And that the responsibility for war crimes lies with those who made our foreign policy.
- 7. We are resolved to fight racism.
- 8. We are resolved to fight sexism.
- 9. To support the right of all workers to strike We also demand full employment for all Americans including free education and training for anyone who wants it. We also condemn the use of active duty service people as strike breakers.
- 10. To affirm that the membersgip is not only concerned with the Vietnam War but with CHANGING THE DEMESTIC, SOCIAL, POLITICAL, and ECONOMIE INSTITUTIONS THAT HAVE CAUSED AND PERPETUATED WAR.

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We've all heard about the the Navy's plans to home-perthe Midway over starting about September. The bars are albusy remodeling to rip off more money, the Navy's busy try to discover more housing for 1,000 families they have no room for, aprtments are getting more expensive on the beat Did anyone ever stop to wonder just why another ship need:

to come in the first place.

For Navy people the home-porting means a real bad deriboth for those already here and those on the Midway. The first problem they will have to face is housing, unless want to live all the time on the ship and the married people don't bring their families along, two pretty slim charces! Have you tried to get an apartment on the beach lately? Maybe you hadto give yours up because of the rising cost of living here in Japan because our dear tricky Dick decide to devalue the dollar. Right now you can easily pay up to \$100.00 a month for a little apartment with two rooms and maybe a bath. Of coarse some people wn't have to worry about housing, because theirs is supplied; the Brass.

If people do succeed in getting a place on or off base, they next thing they will confront is the prices for commoderand commodities in the commisary and the BK. Just after the was revalued all the prices on base, in the snack bars and cafeterias, BK, everywhere went up 15%! So not do do prices off base go up but the prices on base as well. And all this was supposed to have been taken care of by a 12% pay hike at the start of this year, but now that 12% doesnt even make a in the rising costs of living. But in the Navy, just like American society in general, its the workers, the EM, who keep on paying, while the brass live high and mighty, like

they are paid to do.....

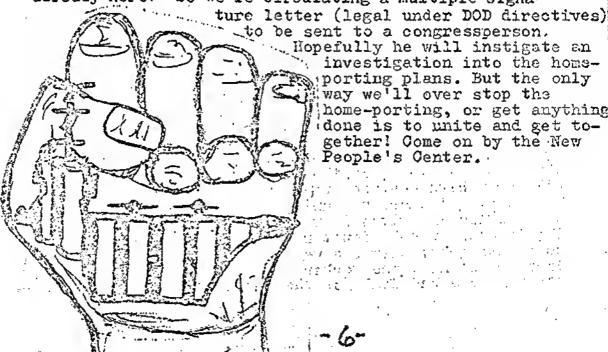
We hear a lot about how having ships over here creates jobs for japanese workers. But the fact is that March and or Japanese workers are being laid off in RIF(reduction in forces) moves. The Navy says this is to save money and cut down on the dollar flow, but if they were interested in doing the why send the Midway in the first place? They announced the will only hire contract work done by huge corporations like Suritomo, which are non-union, and which takes the money from the workers and gives it to the huge corporations instead. The Japanese people don't need the American military over here create jobs; there a very small unemployment rate in Japan right now, and workers can get jobs. So the whole home porting is a bad deal for the Japanese people, too. cover.

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The Japanese people are also angered at the military stepping up its presence in Japan, because they want their land back, and they want to use it for peaceful purposes. Everyone's seen the demenstrations that happen a couple times a week, and a lot of them are to oppose the Midway. What if there were Japanese military bases in San Diego or Chicago? There have been such strong opposition to t the American bases here that the military has been forced to cut down on the number of bases a little bit and make it appear as if they were giving back a lot of land to the Japanese. But the home-porting of the Midway shows that this ign't true at all.

Why can't the Navy take all these problems into consideration when its planning such big steps? Because th their real purpose isn't to accomodate the people in the miditary service, or the people in the countries we oc-The real purpose of the military is to act as the Foliceman for "American interests" abroad. What are those interests? They sure aren't <u>our</u> interests, or else they wouldn't have to draft(or threaten to) thousands of us, make us work in lousey conditions at low pay, thousands of miles away from family and home. They're the inter-. ests of a very few very rich and powerful businessmen in the US, who want to make sure that things like Vietrum don't happen too often. So they figure the best way to try to prevent that is to use us as cops, and keep a massivo amount of weapons and equipment over here besides.

As far as we're concerned we don't need the Midway over here at all; for that matter, any of the other ships already here! So we're circulating a multiple signa-



to be sent to a congressperson. ... Hopefully he will instigate an investigation into the homeporting plans. But the only Wway we'll over stop the home-porting, or get anything idone is to unite and get together! Come on by the New People's Center.

SIGN THE LETTER !!! STO! THE MIDWAY !!

Dear Congressman Dellums

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CVA-41) is due to be homoported here in Yokosuka ater on this year. This is really bad news for veryone all the way around.

For us GI's there will be problems such as housing shortages on and off base, the exchanges and commissaries will be under-stocked, the receational facilities will be very over-crowded. Not to mention othe problems like the bar area expanding and remodeling to rip off more money.

The Japanese people themselves will be affected also. Since March the exchanges have been laying off more and more Japanese workers. SRF workers are also being laid off. These workers will be replaced by workers from large corpanies such as Sumitomo, etc. who are non-union. That means more money will go to the large corporations instead of to the people who need it most.

We also feel that homeporting the Midway in Yokosuka is clearly another move by Nixon to farther oppress the peoples of Asia. We therefore respectful copose the Midway being homeported here.

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AN AMERICAN SERVICEMAN SPEAKS OUT ON YEN

As an American serviceman stationed here in Japan, I feel that I'm speaking for not only the active military but dependents and retired personnel who have chosen to make their home here. The yen-dollar situation is inexcusable. If the Great White Father and his galloping band of cohorts don't do some drastic decision making soon the people will!

The way it stands at this writing I wonder where I might get a decent price for the almighty \$. As we all know the prices here are

damn right outrageous !!!

Tricky Dick is going to have to give everyone some kind of subsistence allowance. Not only the officers and lifers, in that order, but also the E-1. If he doesn't we just can't make it. We have little military housing for the

We have little military housing for the military dependents and what we do have is inadequate. People are forced to live in apts.
on the beach thet can run anywhere from \$1.25
to \$150 per month for nothing more than 1 room,
a bathroom with no shower or tub, and a halfass kitchen that you can't get more than 2
people in. By the way these are all unfurnished.

The prices are still rising. When is it going to stop? Did you know that the inflation rate in Japan is over 5% a year. Jesus Christ what do the assholes in the stockmarket expect

us to do?

The Dept. of the Navy expects to homeport the USS Midway here which will make the prices even higher. Already many places are remodeling so they can accomodate the business they expect to receive from the Midway. Who do you think is going to pay for these changes? If you can't figure it out — It's you and me orother. Let's get together and fight this thing before it's too late.

Remember the Vietnamese have made Nixon the first President to lose a war we can make him the first President to lose an Army... Navy... Air Force.

Peace. Dynamite-VVAW

PROSTITUTION

Prostitution is one of the most frequent and important ways GI's come in contact with women. It is a big business whereever GI's are stationed. Many people don't understand that prostitution serves the interest of the military. Folks often think that prostitution exists alongside the military as a business thing: The think that GI's relate to prostitutes only because there are no other women around, and because the military just can't improve the morals of GI's men will be men, but if you look at the situtation more closely, it turns out that's not the whole story. Prostitution isn't only allowed, but encouraged and used by the military to make military people into the kind of men the military wants : dehumanized fighters with no feelings of love or compassion: Prostitution actually serves a purpose in military training and in keeping service people from developing whatever real and lasting relationships with women are possible in this country.

Once we're in the military, we are cut offf from our families, our past and our friends. we're put in an all-male situation, where the number and kinds contacts we have with women are limited by the men who give the orders. Women in the military are kept apart from GI's. They have special jebs as assistants to officers and lifers, and usually live in seperate barracks, usually off-limits to culisted men. And most women in towns near military lasas are isloated from GI's. They are often few in number, and are gen-

crally warned to stay away from GI's.
So service people don't have any more than passing contact with women, and women get to be objects and fantasies in many peoples minas. Since men come into the military already trained to see women as sexual objects, this isolation by itself would be enough

to make people relate to women as whores.

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But the military hasn't been content with physical isolation. GI's also get training and indoctrination about women from the first day in basic training. They learn that there are two kinds of women: those they are fighting for- wifes, mothers, girlfriends, and those they should fuck-whores. Through this they are taught to seperate sex from Love and whores from girlfriends. They learn that getting their kicks through prostitution is tough and masculine. cour a de Alia de Caractería d

At the same time, their officers warn them that other kirds of relationships with women won't work—that their girlfriends are cheating on them, or their wives will probably divorce them before they are discharged. This kind of discouraging is done because wives are sometimes a threat to the "fightin force"—they make GI's more careful avout risking their lives, and a GI with a family is a LITTLE more likely to feel sympathy for a family in Vietnam. (But there's another side to this coin, which the brass also recognizes—wives of GI's, like all wives, are supposed to support their husband's work uncritically, bear the brunt of their frustrations, and keep them pacified.)

The kind of training GI's get also ties sexual prowess with military skill, ties guns with cocks, ties killing people with fucking women. Good relationships with women are a threat to this way of thinking; so prestitution and short manipulating relationships with

women are definitely in the brass' interest.

Women working with the GI movement in San Diego, a navy town, give examples of the way prostitution becomes a part of GI's lives in the navy: On the west coast, most sailors are part of the all-male WEST-FAC cruise, which is out at sea for eight or nime months, between Southeast Asia and the Philippine Islands. Every 30 to 60 days the ship will enter port for about a week. Once the sailors hit port they are encouraged by the example and "sea stories" of the officers and lifers to "raise hell." Prostitutes in ports like Olongapo, Philippine Islands, are cheap and plentiful. these women are presented to the GI's as compensation for military discomfort. Their availability is held over the men like a Pavlovian reward for "good service."

In between cruises the sailors return to a US port for about 4 months. Here, in an area like Broadway in downtown San Diego, they find an extension of the port overseas. They are discouraged by many tales of defeat from trying to meet potential girlfriends. They are instead encouraged to go downtown. All bases in the San Diego area have bus service from a central location on the base to and from Broadway. There the GI's will find an srray of bars, skin flicks, and prostitutes-both in the bars and on the streets.

It's clear from this example that the military adoesn't just accept prostitution because it can't get rid of it. The use of prostitution as a "reward" for the discomforts of ship duty shows one more way that the brass finds prostitution useful. The encouragement of officers shows they aren't neutral about prostitutes

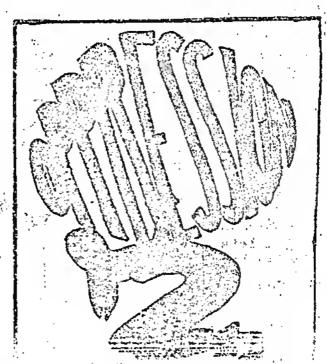
Among other things, the joking and the stories of officers is a way they try to break down the enger of low ranking men against high ranking men-I may be you officer, but after all, we're both men.

To get a clearer picture of the way the military use prostitution, it's improtant to deal with prostitution in South Vietnam. Here racism against Asian people is added to male chauvinism, and GI's treat Vietnamese women like subhuman whores. GI's who have been taught to treat women like things and Vietnamese people like things are capable of being brutal to women who don't want to sleep with them. These attitudes and the economic upheaval in South Vietnam force thousands of South Vietnamese women to become prostitutes.

GI's are always encouraged to think of Vietnamese women as whores, and to go only to the GI-oriented hars where prostitutes are plentiful. GI's who try to form more lasting relationships with women are put down-and it's almost impossible for a GI to marry a Vietnamese woman. Prostitution is continually used to keep GI's from getting to know and respect Vietnamese people or their culture. This whole situation separate GI's from the South Vietnamese people, and creates feelings that let GI's kill without worrying about who they are killing.

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go prostitution is used as a reward, a pacifier, a morale booster, and a propaganda device. In all of these ways, it is used to dehumanize GI's and keep them separate from other people: and those things are crucial to keeping the US military going.



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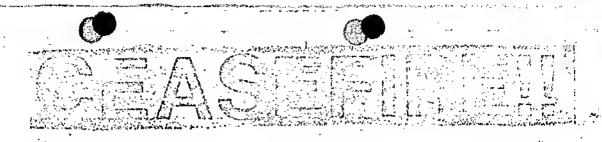
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After 12 years of war and 25+ years of subversion by Americans Nixon has finally signed the peace treaty. Why did he sign it now? There are many reasons. one thing he is tired of fighting, suffering defeat, and no sign of winning in sight. After spending 137 BILLION dollars and killing and wounding millions of people, and dropping more hombs than in any war in history, he may have realized that the US cannot win. All the wealth he represents cannot stop a revolution, it only held it back a while.

But there are other reasons for Nixon changing the US's involvement in SE Asia. The United States and other advanced industrial nations are sliding into a depression. The cities are decaying, schools and hospitals so overcrowded they can't do their jobs. There are few adequate public transportation facilities. Production of useful goods is less now than ever before, even though more and more money goes into military expenditures which are no good to anyone. Meglect and greed have let pollution threaten life and health. Inflation and unemployment-especially among vets-continues to grow. People have to work harder and seem to get less. Working people are taxed more and more, and get less and less.

The depression is coming not because of "those damn Japanese" or because "workers are lazy and greedy". Its. because all the wealth in America is controlled by a small capitalist class: the bankers, large corporations, and speculators. Working people have to keep on paying higher taxes, while these large corporations, banks, etc, pay hardly any at all. Workers also have to pay them interest on loans and mortgages. Even now the corporations profit is increasing, while working people have to work

more and more just to try to stay even.

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Nixon was elected as the representative of this capitalist class. They back him, pay for his campaigns. Now that his campaign is over he will pay them back. This is the reason Nixon doesn't consult Congress, speak to the



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press, even crit lzes it when its critical him, and holds down wages and not profits. Congress, the press, labor unions can be dangerous if they got in his way to impose poverty in America so the capitalists can stay wealthy.

Nixon's economic policy(phase 1,2,3, etc.) are dcsigned to get Americans to work harder for less. The aim is to crush organized labor as a defense of workers against getting exploited. Workers who can't keep up with the pace of speedup, or who's jobs get eaten up by automation, will be tossed to the scrapheap of welfare. Thats what welfare is: the propts that capitalism has no use for. If Nixon's plans come true we will see blacks and whites fighting for the jobs that are left, at whatever wage the bosses want to pay.

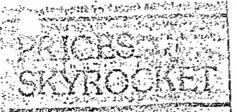
So Nixon is just bringing the policies in Vietnam back home. He hopes to pacify Congress and the people back on the home front by acting like the peace maker,

while he is preparing to cut out throats.

As Nixon's plans keep moving on we can expect to see a lot of resistance to his plans. Workers in auto plants, steel factories, mines, teachers, municipal workers, etc. will strike against plans to place them on the scrapheap. Ghetto and welfare vicins will fight. If the different parts of the working class --black, white, women--can unitc around a program to rebuild America in the interests of the people then America can be re-born. The government plans are to devide by race, trade, sex, unemployed from employed, GI from civilian, and keep us that way. We must educate and organize ourselves.

"Whats this got do with me, the Navy EM?" The answer is everything. Most GIs are from the working class, and unless they become lifers, will return to be part of it. While we are in the military as EM we form the weapon of Nixon and the capitalist class, which they will use in their interests abroad and at home. You didn't see Henry Ford out there on the line working 18 hours a day moving shells, did you! Even with the ccase fire, ships still patrol along the coast of Victnam, and the home-porting ot of the Midway at Yokosuka proves that the overseas function ofpoliceman is still the same for EM. Back home the military will be used to break strikes and stand riot duty against other working people, just like the postal workers strike in 1970, or the conventions in 1972.

It should be clear that GIs performing these tasks will be their own enemy, being used to smash any chance our friends and families, and working peoppe overseas as well, have to get a decent living. If that's not clear, think about after you get out of the Navy and go back into a job that's been specded up, and work until you're worn out. Its not worth it. We've got to resist these plans, organize, build unity, change things around.



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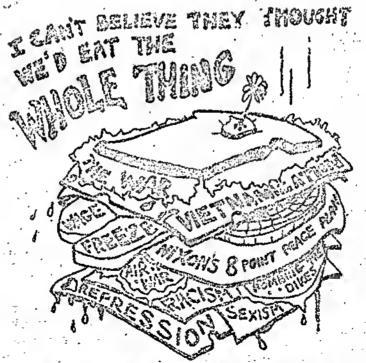
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WE WON'T SWALLOW IT!

THE PEOPLE IN THE COUNTRY THEY AIN'T GOT NOTHIN TO EAT

The people in the countryside are wearing rags, you see and the workers in the cities they ain't got food to eat The ruling class is stranglin us We have no shoes for our feet

But pretty soon thing'sll be different now When we've got them by the seat In the cities, villages, in the valleys and the towns

Spread the word, I'm sure you heard We're organizing now !

- a brother in yokosuka



ARTICLE 15 - CAPTAIN MAST!

Described in the Uniformed Code of Military Justice (UCMJ) as non-judicial punishment, this is punishment administered without a trial or a judge. Article 15 are supposed to be given only for acts that are against the UCMJ and only acts that could be punished by a military court. But because there is no court involved, accusations do not have to be proved. In other words, "You a are guilty until proven innocent". It is used to intimidate the troops and keep you under control. Maximum punishment that can be given by an Article 15 by a LCDR or above are:

A. Custody up to 30 days

B. Loss of pay not more than half your pay for 2 months.

C. Reduction to the lowest pay grade unless you are an E5 or above, then reduced 2 grades

D. Extra duty for not more than 45 days

E. Restriction up to 60 days

F. Holding of your pay for up to one year, they can only take up to 50% for three months All of these punishments cannot be given at once, some can be combined. For example 30 days custody, reduction in grade and a fine can be combined. But things like restriction and custody, or fines and holding of pay cannot be given at the same Captain Mats.

If someone feels that the military does not have a good case they can refuse to sign for an Article 15. There are two ways a person can refuse:

- A person van call the militarys bluff and refuse

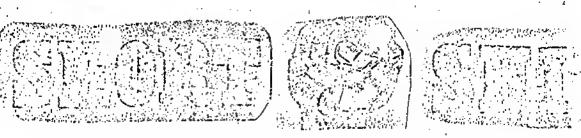
to sign but NCT request a courts-martial.

- Or if you want to fight you may refuse the Art. 15 and request a courts-martial. If you simply refuse to sign, the military can convene any of the 3 types of courts-martial de-

pending on the offense you are charged with. If you are on board a ship you do NOT have the right to

refuse a Captains Mast.

If you are going to accept an Art, 15 you may request witnesses on your behalf, and summit evidence for your side, as well as question those witnesses who are tesifying against you. The commanding officer is supposed to conduct an impartial hearing to consider all the evidence and only he will decide who is guilty. His punishment may have a lot to do with his personal feeling toward you. Also you should always appeal the punishment - you have nothing to lose all they can do is lower the punishment



"All you ignorant, narrow-minded uptight old farts better learn damn soon that respect and wisdom are not things you pin on your shoulder."

USS Coral Sea, Oct '71 in his letter of resignation in protest against the Vietnam War.

PRIORITIES

According to Dr. Michael Jacobson of the Center for Science in the Public Interest, a non-profit consumer group in Washington DC, there are more scientists working to develop a fruit-flavored vaginal deoderant spray than are working on methods to detect the causes of birth defects.

ONE MILLION JAPANESE DEMOSTRATE

That was the number of people the Japanese police estimated who took part in actions in cities throughout Japan last October 21st against the U.S. bombing of Vietnam. -- The Militant

NO RED or BLUE

The South Vietnamese Government, which recently banned the manufacture of any red or blue colored cloth in South Vietnam, has gone one step further. President Thieu's administration has passed a law making it illegal to import red or blue cloth of any type into South Vietnam. The Thieu government is opposed to red and blue materials because these are the colors of the N.L.F. and it is feared that South Vietnamese citzens might make N.L.F. flags out of the colored cloth. The newest law banning the importing of the material requires that all red or blue cloth be immediately dyed another color. If this is not done, the cloth will be seized by the government and it(s owners arrested. - LNS

WEAPONS AGAINST THE LIFERS
Article 121 of the UCMJ makes it a crime to
wrongfully take, obtain or with hold from any person any money, property, or article of value of
any kind. This also holds true if a lifer rips off
any of your posters, books, leaflets, including this
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PAT CHENOWITH IS BEING FRANCED

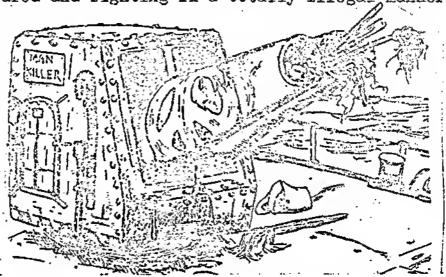
When Nixon inaugurated his "peace" plan for Vietnam and moved the war from the ground to the air, the GI movement moved right along with it.

Crewmen aboard aircraft carriers throughout the Pacific, forced to work 20 hours a day loading the thousands of tons of bombs dropped daily on the people of Vietnam, have been resisting the racist and imperialist policies of the Navy with ever in-

creasing militance and courage.

The movement aboard the USS Ranger, one of the carriers of the seventh fleet, is severely homporing the ship's participation in Nimen's invisible air war. Last July an unknown sabeteur put a paint soraper and two 12-inch bolts in the Rangers gaint reduction gears — an act which rendered the ship immobile for nearly four months and cost over \$500 theusand. The act was one of at least 28 that have crippled the carrier since last spring.

Fn. Patrick D Chenoweth, a 21 year old eplisted man from Puyallup, Washington, has been singled out by the Navy to serve as a scapegoat; an example to anyone who might consider sabotage as a method for taking out his anger and frustration against the war and the military. Arrested on August 2nd, Pat has been charged with willful destruction of government property and sabotage in time of war. If convected he faces 35 years in military prison. The statute of sabotage in time of war has not been used since World War II -- and itis in contridiction to the fact that we are fighting a war never legally declared and fighting in a totally illegal manner.



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The evidence against Pat consists of three witnesses who claim they overheard him confess to his friends. But investigation has shown that at least 20 men were overheard making the same "admissions" - many brothers on the ship were eager to take credit for the act. Two of the three witnesses testified they thought he was joking when the alleged statements were made. Par. has no civilian criminal record and no military infract ions other than two one-hour unauthorized absences. Yet he has been kept in pro-trial confinement at Tree .-. sure Island for four months. In a civilian courtroom the case would most cortainly be thrown out for lack of evidence, but you're in the Havy now!

As the ship, which finally left for southcast Asia in mid-November, and other carriers carry out their tours of duty in the war zone, the realist of "Vietnamization" becauses very clear. When you walk over bombs to get to where you work and walk over bombs to get to where you eat, you're not so easily fooled by lies about "winding down thme war". And brothers aboard ships are finding now ways to resist all the time. Brothers on the Coral Sca and the Enterprise circulated petitions protesting being sent back to Vietnam. An Indochina slide show was recently snuggled aboard the Ranger and shown in the carpenters shack. Signs and posters to stop our ships are appearing all over the carriers, and the struggle of mostly black people against racism has emerged very powerfully on the Constellation and the Kitty Hawk over the past month.

As long as the harrassment and as long as the military continues to deny the rights of GI's, they will be plagued by acts of resistance, whether it be striking out at the machinery of war through acts of sabotage or organized movements demanding an end to discrimination and racism in the service and demanding an end to this (for the sailor) all too invisible war. It is particularly important that the civilian anti-war movement rally to the defense of the GI brothers -- we must not allow them to stop the. GI Movement! Sailors know the war first-hand, they :... know their friends and they know their enemy.

Support the GI Movementi

FREE PAT CHENOWETH !!!!!

ADVENDURES IN THE FORWARD HEAD

The other day I was sitting in the forward head just answering nature's call, and this chief walks up to me and says.

"Youre suspected of being a Communist".

And I asked him "why?" I knew that recently there had been a rash of people getting the right-on notion of pasting stickers that say, "No man is good enough to be another man's master" all over the ship, including the wardroom door, Officers Country door, everyplace.

He said "we suspect you of doing this."

"Who's 'we'" says I.

"Myseld and all the other first class on the ship". So I says, "what about all these stickers?"

"Whoever pasted them up must be a radical communist or someone who has no brains in their head, because there always has to be one man to lead the flock."

"What do you mean by the flock", says me.

"Lower class EM, people who aren't in a position of leadership, and people like that."

"What about their leaders, who elected them to be

in their place?" I said.

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"Well, did you ever think that the people might have the sence to appoint their own leaders?" I said.

That was too much for him, so getting back to the point I said "What if I did put up these stickers?"

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He got real excited. "That's an admission of guilt!
I'm going to have you written up and taken to captains

mast for defacing government property."

I dug this. "Just go ahead, lifer, and I'll hit you square between the eyes with a fat Article 138, the famous Enlisted Man's weapon, Request for Redress of Grievances committed. I can guarantee you there'll be a 138 investigation into your case." That's article 138 of the UCMJ, where if you get fucked over by some-body higher than you, you can talk to the Man about it. If he don't do anything about it, you can put a petition of Article 138 in to cover both the guy who screwed you and the Man, because he didn't do anything about it. This letter goes higher and higher on up the chain and makes things pretty hairy for them.

This, needless to say, kind of blew his mind, and he quickly changed the subject. I tried to finish taking a shit, and he left. I don't think I'll be bothered by such lifers for a while.

IF WE WANT OUR RIGHTS WE HAVE TO DEMAND THEM!!!

THE WAR'S "OVER," BUT

Well, the war's been over for a couple months now, right? After all those years, millions dead, billions sper supporting a corrupt and unpopular dictator, diverting re sources that could get better use at home fighting povert. and unemployment. After October, with "peace at hand", and then January, Nixon ordering the worst bombings in histor. EM working 18 hours a day for him. We finally got "peace

True, we should be glad that there's a with honor", right? cease fire, and in fact the bombing and shelling has been halted off the line and over Vietnam. But a lot of facts show that Nixon is only changing the appearanc of the war. trying again to make it less visible, like he did in with drawing ground troops and ordering in air and Navy. This time, with the withdrawal of the last Army and Marines and Air Force from Vietnam, will come a massive inflow of civ ilian's who will do the same things military people did. A conservative estimate is that there will be 10,000 such people: DOD employees, private corporation employees, eve. military people out of uniform.

Nixon's got a lot invested in Vietnam, and just because the overwhelming majority of Americans wanted cut doesn't mean much. During November of last year, before treaty was signed, he pumped in planes and arms so that to S. Vietnamese air force became the 3rd largest in the wor. Some of the civilians going to Nam now may even be using that equipment, or at least training Thieu's troops to use

And outside of Vietnam itself what's happening is the it there will be ships patroling off the coast permanently. And check out some of the other Asian countries: Philippin Guam, Thailand-60,000 men, Taiwan 10,00 men, Okinawa 45,00x Japan 40,000 men, Korea 55,000 men. What the hell are we a doing over here still, if the war is "over"?

These continued troops present, and plans like the h porting of the Midway this fall, mean that they still plate to try to direct the affairs of SE Asian people by the use of strong military power and coercion. Its about time Niz and Wall Street stopped using EM as police for unpopular dictators like Thieu, Marcos, Park. What kind of democrac have we been fighting for these last dozen years, when S. Vietnam, Phillippines, Korea, Thailand are all under dict torships? We should get out completely from Asia, include torships? CIA and DOD employees, and leave Asians to settle their c affairs.



Naw People's Center/ VVAW P.O. Box 26 Yokosuka, Japan tol: (0068)25-0157

People's Rouse P.O. Box 447 Koza-shi Okinawa-ken Japan tel:(0989)37-3107.

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Honolulu, Hawaii
96187

Pacific Colnseling Service 1232 Market St. #104 San Francisco. Calif. 94102 tel: (415)431-8080

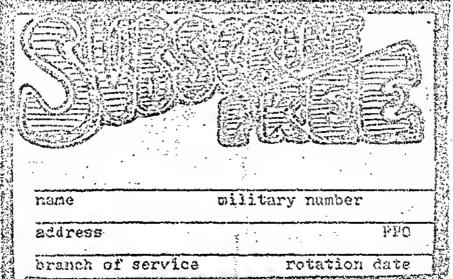
Center For Servicemen's Rights 827 Fifth Ave.
San Diego, Calif.
94402 tel:239-2419

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WVAN NOSCAM (serive duty GT office) P.O. Box 1625 Dayton, Ohio 45401

Where are you going next? This is a partial list of a few places where you can contact legal assistance, get some of the latest GI papers, and rap about things. These people can put you in touch with the local movement. They have book stores and legal rights saterial. Check them out.

If you want information about VVAW, write to the above.



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Date: 4/24/73

TO:

ACTING DIRECTOR, FBI

FROM:

SAC, CLEVELAND

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RE:

VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST

THE WAR (VVAW)

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Re CV teletype to Bureau, 8/17/72, under Bufile 100-467491.

Enclosed for the Bureau are 8 copies of an LHM re captioned subject matter. FD 376 submitted

Two copies of the enclosed LHM and FD 459 are being furnished to the U.S. Secret Service, Cleveland, Ohio.

The following sources were utilized in the attached LHM: EX-105

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Due to the disillusion and inactivity of the VVAW in the Lima, Ohio area, Cleveland is closing its case in this matter, pending receipt of information that the VVAW is again active.

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WASHINGTON, D.C. 20535

April 24, 1973

Director United States Secret Service Department of the Treasury Washington, D. C. 20220

RE:

VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST

THE WAR (VVA)

LIMA, OHIO

Dear Sir:

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The information furnished herewith concerns an individual or organization believed to be covered by the agreement between the FBI and Secret Service concerning protective responsibilities, and to fall within the category or categories checked.

Threats or actions against persons protected by Secret Service.
Attempts or threats to redress grievances.
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Participation in civil disturbances, anti-U. S. demonstrations or hostile incidents against foreign diplomatic establishments.
Illegal bombing, bomb-making or other terrorist activity.
Defector from U. S. or indicates desire to defect.
Potentially dangerous because of background, emotional instability or activity in groups engaged in activities inimical to U. S.
Very truly yours, L. Patrick Gray, III Acting Director

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Cleveland, Ohio

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and three pamphlets had been attached to the bulletin board at Ohio State University, Lima, Ohio Branch. The poster urged students to "Join the Last Patrol" which was to be a motor convoy on August 14, through August 18, traveling to Miami, Florida for the Republican Convention and that interested individuals were to contact their local Vietnam Veterans Against the War (VVAW) Office for details. The three pamphlets contained information regarding the bombing of Vietnam and the civilian war dead. They furnished the address of the VVAW as P.O. Box 1532, Lima, Ohio and telephone numbers 227-7729 and 645-4152. The pamphlets also contained the following addresses:

Vietnam Veterans Against The War 25 West 26th Street, New York, New York 10010 (telephone number 212-725-5680)

Ohio-Indiana-Northern Kentucky Regional Office P.O. Box 1625
Dayton, Ohio 45401
(telephone number 513-274-3171)

VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR

The Vietnam Veterans Against the War (VVAW) is a self-described adhoc organization of Veterans opposed to the war in Vietnam. The VVAW is an anti-war organization organized in 1967 and Headquartered in New York City. Its published objective is to demand an immediate secession of fighting and the withdrawal of all American troops from Indo-China.

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RE: VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR (VVAW), LIMA, OHIO

On August 14, 1972, advised that an attempt was being made to organize a VVAW in Lima, Ohio. Stated that the group was not well organized at this time and only had a few members.

b7D On August 17, 1972 advised members of the VVAW in Lima were traveling to Miami as part of a VVAW nationwide caravan to demonstrate at the Rejutican National Convertion. These individuals were

b7C and the core members of the VVAW in the Lima area.

On August 25, 1972, advised that telephone number from Lima is registered to Cridersville, Ohio.

Source states that that the sons, all of whom have served in the Military Service. Source further advised the telephone further 227-772; in Lima is registered to Mrs.

Lima.

b7) On August 30, 1972, advised that Post Office Box 1532 is registered to the Vietnam Veterans Against the War, 414 S. Metcalf Street, telephone number 22/-/(29, Lima, Ohio. Source further advised that the person making the application for the above box was ore and the organization or business was listed as "Political". The post office box was opened on June 21, 1972.

On September 7, 1972, advised that had returned to Lima directly from the bid box Convention in Miami.

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Source multionally advised that

On November 16, 1972, Lima, Ohio Police Department advised that to the Lest of RE: VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR (VVAW), LIMA, OHIO

his knowledge there is no organized chapter of the VVAW in Lima and that a check of sources available to him, who are familiar with revolutionary activities within the Lima area was negative.

stated further that if there is by some sort of organization forming within the area, he would presume that and would be involved.

On December 18, 1972, advised that Post Office Box 1532, Lima, Ohio had been closed out by the Post Office on October 10, 1972 for non-payment of rent. Source further advised the rentor of the box had left no forwarding address and he has made no application for another box at the Post Office.

On February 12, 1973 advised that the VVAW in Lima, Ohio could now be considered as dead as it has been almost totally inactive in recent months. Source indicated any usage of the organization or the organization's title would probably be confined to a method of recognition between past members of the VVAW in Lima and other members of the VVAW throughout the country.

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Cleveland, Ohio

April 24, 1973

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VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR

(VVAW), LIMA, OHIO

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Reference

Memorandum at Cleveland dated and captioned as above.

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ACTING DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448092) DATE: 4/27/73

FROM

SAC, BUFFALO (100-21623) (P)

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Receiving offices are requested to review enclosed. LHM for appropriate indexing or routing to individual case files.

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It is noted that the quality of the copies of the minutes of the State meeting which are incorporated into this LHM are equal to the quality of the copy furnished by the source which was poor.

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Source One

State University of New York, Geneseo, New York (per request)



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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION Buffalo, New York April 27, 1973

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VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR, NEW YORK STATE MEETING, GENESEO, NEW YORK, APRIL 6-8, 1973

On April 11, 1973, Source One, who has provided reliable information in the past, advised that a State meeting of the Vietnam Veterans Against the War (VVAW) was held on April 6 through April 8, 1973 in the South Lounge of the Red Jacket Dining Hall at the State University College of Arts and Science, Geneseo, New York.

The VVAW is a national organization composed primarily of veterans of the war in Vietnam, that has organized and participated in numerous demonstrations against the war in Vietnam during 1970-1972, including the seizure of the Statue of Liberty, New York City, and the occupation of the Betsy Ross House, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, in December, 1971. Six members of the VVAW were indicted by a Federal Grand Jury, Tallahassee, Florida, July, 1972, on charge of conspiracy to violate the Federal Antiriot Law.

Source One provided the following information concerning the VVAW meeting:

The meeting was held between the hours of 12:00 noon and 4:00 p.m. on Friday, April 6, 1973, and between 9:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. on Saturday and Sunday, April 7 and 8, 1973.

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VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR, NEW YORK STATE MEETING, GENESEO, NEW YORK, APRIL 6-8, 1973

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granted by the Students Activities Committee of the Student Affairs Division on April 4, 1971 after submission of a written request by New York, a sophomore at State University of New York, Geneseo. The requested authorization for a meeting of 40 delegates from around the state. I listed himself as representing the "Geneseo Students for a Humane Society."

Authorization to hold the meeting on campus was

A total of 28 persons attended the meetings over the weekend. The participants consisted of 23 males and 5 females. All participants were of college age with the exception of two older males, both approximately 38 to 40 years of age. The latter appeared to have been speakers at the meetings.

The program for the weekend appeared to have consisted of at least two guest speakers, a series of slide shows, and distribution of literature from the national VVAW organization and from the local State University of New York at Buffalo (SUNYAB). Business (if any) appeared to transact slowly at the meetings and the groups dispersed early each day (before 3:00 p.m. on Friday), (before 4:00 p.m. on Saturday and Sunday).

A check of the only parking lot in the area during the meetings revealed that the following vehicles were not registered to Geneseo students, not registered as dormitory visitors, and in all probability were driven by representatives to the VVAW meeting:

New York 793-HUG

A white/green Volkswagen bus displaying VVAW decals

New York 990-ERE

A State University guest
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to and a
SUMM paper in vehicle
(red/white:Gheviolet van)

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New York OT-7824

Yellow/black Ford Pinto Sedan displaying a Fulton Montgomery Community College student parking decal number 1830

New York 925-ONN

Maroon 1971 Ford Mustang

New York 8719-EJ

Blue American Rambler, two door Sedan, displaying a Broome County Community College decal number 4206

New York TG-7250

White Pontiac, four door Sedan, displaying Broome Technical College decal

number 2257

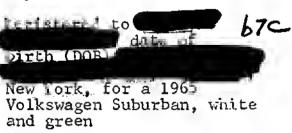
New York 915-LVB

Blue 1967 Dodge van

The series of VVAW meetings at Geneseo were closed sessions and only invited delegates could attend. An unusual note is that the meeting received no publicity whatsoever in places where it would normally appear, e.g. student newspaper, staff newspaper, daily bulletins, Student Union Bulletin Boards,

A review of the records of the New York State Department of Motor Vehicles by a representative of the Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI) on April 23, 1973 revealed the following regarding the aforementioned license plates:

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On April 19, 1973, Source Two, who has furnished reliable information in the past, provided a copy of the minutes of the State meeting at Geneseo issued by the VVAW New York State Office, Box 902, Ellicott Station, Buffalo, New York, dated April 9, 1973. This document was distributed at the VVAW meeting of the Buffalo Chapter on April 11, 1973. A copy of this document follows:

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Mietnam Veterord Against the War New York State, Office Box 902 Ellicott Station Euffalo, Fer York 14205

April 9, 1973

Minutes of State Leating - Geneseo, April 7 and 8, 1993

Chapters Adjonding - Genereog Ithaca, Suffolt County, Infilalo, New York Caty, Rochester, Onconta, Sidney.

Agenda: 1.

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- Chauter Reports
- Regional Report 2.
- 3. Votes at Regional heeting
- 4. Armid Forces Day
- Gounter Military Program
- Alls and Hounded Knee
- National Steering Committee beeting
- Regional Operation
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- Part State Meeting

Chapter Reports:

Rochester - 10 active members and expanding; Fad radio and speaking fix on Annesty; Farticipating in Phone-In programs, TV Spots, etc. Working with Rochester area Moman for Prace, sharing booths. Sent support telegram to Mounded Ruce. Have meekly meeting. Upcoming a hour show in Nays have access to Video Tapo equipment.

Few York City - Chapter is broken up into committees Defense Committee - Working mostly on Gainsville: petitioning on Amosty; They had a benefit with Kuntslow and Berrisan and raised \$5000.00. Also, fund raising through cocktail parties. Suffer from lack of participation (8 members, 2 active). They are selling tumper stickers and buttons. Sent letter condenning Gary Lauton's judge.

SE Asia Committee - Lainly internal Political Education 15 people in demo for Political Prisoners in South Victor -Poor communications - Fush CSS to broadcast "Sticks and Bonas"

Veteran Affairs - Attended city commision on Human Rights hearing - good press coverage. 30 people visited F.Y. V.A. coordinator and forced him to appear at Staten Island Community College. - Morking on GI Bill on campus and Discharges elsewhere. There was some dissension on direction. Lindsay Welfare Center set up for Vets.

Stecripe Committee - Weakest committee - not able to provide leafership; one speaking gig a week. Tublishing of a Marspaper; Poor fund raising. Hight have Cable TV on Amn sty and presently raking film on FVS rap group.

Home with Honor Farace - organised by DOD and American Legion, 250 V.V.A.V. ranchers-forced way in. The Pacison in crowd reacted vocally and often times violently. To were joined during march by 250 more Vets and Supporters from the Dat marke herri in in

Oneonta - Pete Mahoney speaking gig raising \$160.00 for Gainesville 8. Helped AlM raising \$500.00. FBI questioning heavy - no regular meetings (10 members, 3 active).

Sidney - Libaral moralist Chapter fell apart after "Cease Fird(?). In process of rebuilding their chapter (1 active member left).

Geneseo - Want wide-spectrum Storefront. (1 active member). They coordinated meals and quarters for the State Meeting.

Buffalo - General meeting held every two weeks. Open steering committee meeting on alternate weeks. Had successful Benefit for storefront, over \$400.00 raised - Letter sent out to Liberal contributers. A Political Education Committee is set up to re-organize chapter. Alliance with Mative Americans collected food and money, sold posters, had direct contact with people who had first-hand information on Wounded Knee. In 10th week of Drug and PVS Counselors' Training. In contact with other Counseling programs the will refer Vets to us when we get through training. 2 people going to Mational Council of Churchs FVS Conference in St. Louis. Sent to Milwaukee (PVS Clearing House) for FVS Library materials. "Our excellent" Speakers Bureau is working on Amnesty in media and schools. Legal suit against State to recover VA benefits for 100 Vets who lost them due to administrative errors.

Suffolk County - Nember of Long Island Equal Justice Assembly, Military Justice Section - \$700.00 Grant from Stony Brook, Started Co-op Carage - Office with phone in Stony Brook Speaking engagements in high schools and colleges - active weekly meeting (6-15 attending). Want-farm for engoing counter Counter-Lilitary Center.

Ithaca - Pot much support-no actions or meeting since election - lack of communication from region.

- Regional Report Still trying to get Regional office functional to a point where it serves a purpose. Membership file is straightened up. Chapters urged to help set up new Chapters in unorganized areas. 3rd Class mail from Chicage slow - Chapters expressed need for supply of materials. Unity of thought and purpose cannot be reached. Chapters are not sending in information to State office to be disseminated.
- Votes at Regional Meeting NYC 3; Buffalo 3; Rochester -2(up 1); Oneonta - 2; Sidney - 1; Suffolk Ct. - 3(up 2); Ithaca -1.
- 4. Armed Forces Day May 19, West Point action discussed. ASV will be in Washington the same day - no support. Concern expressed at scenario's unreality, lack of definite plans and unclear objectives. OF STATE Bureau, Buffalo Chapter.

THE WAR, MEN YORK STATE

MEETING, GENESEO, NEW YORK,

APRIL 6-8, 1973

PROPOSAL: To Drawits, West-Point Action

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- Proposal Accepted.

 5 Counter Military Program Called for greater amareness and activism against military recruiting. Discussed methods of attack Suffolk Chapter interested in putting together Slide Show and Film Library. Some chapters (especially Suffolk) have bgen confronting recruiters wherever they tread. - Finding way for equal time in high schools for counter military actions.
 - 6. AIM and Mounded Knee Money needed Supplies not getting through. Wounded Knee Defense Fund: United Bank of Colorado

 17th St. and Broadway

 Denver, Colorado
 - 7. Pational Stearing Committee Mesking April :19-23, in Placitar: 1: Rochester - 1. | lf Rochester of Suffolk don't go; the first slot goes to FYO and 2nd to Buffalo. Proposal = 13 yes, 2 no, 1 absten.

- PROFOSAL: Jack of A chapters and State Coordinator get one vote. If a chapter "cesn't attend, vote focs to chapter rather than i second State Aclegate Troposal - 10 yes, 0 opposed, 4 abstentions.

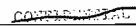
- Regional Operation State will start working on coordination of resources, films, buttons, information, etc. State office needs funds from chapters to run efficiently. General discussion on fund raising and benefits followed.
- Amnesty Amnesty Demo was tabled due to lack of communications with simultaneous meeting going on in Toronto.
- 10. Evaluation of V.V.A.W. -
 - 1. Discussion of revelency of V.V.A.M. name.
 - 2. Discussion of Emergency Employment Act.

PROFOSAL: As a State, we strike any support for the E.E.A., and that we in fact condemn it, in that it conflicts with Fo.10 of the V.V.A.W. Objectives (separating) us from other working people, making enemies by giving us the charade of veterans employment priority.²
Proposal - 14 yes, 0 opposed, 3 abstentions

3. Discussion of Priorities - Veterans! organization, mass of combination.

PROPOSAL: The question of internal politics and direction of 7.V.A.W. be discussed thoroughly winin chapters and at the new Regional meeting. Also on Agenda at Mational Steering Committee nceting.

Proposal - 11 yes, 3 opposed, 2 abstentions





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coming week and suggestions be sent to Mational Steering Committee Meeting.

Proposal - 0 yes, 0 opposed, 7 abstentions.

ii. Fer Business - ROTC Proposal

PROPOSAL: Given advanced warning if Bill is re-introduced into Assembly, we have Statewide action in Albany, in meantime as much as possible be done locally to make people aware of Bill. Proposal - 7 yes, 1 opposed, 7 abstentions.

PROPOSAL: Each delegation go back to their chapter and promote messarch on a topic; and if approved by chapter, research done and sent to State office.

Proposal - 1/2 yes, 0 opposed, 1 abstantion

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OBSECTIVE 10 - V.V.A.V. (as of July, 1973)

10. To support the democratic rights of Americans to unionize and strike to protect their income and safeguard their employment. The consider all legislation designed to suppress these rights to be illegal and not in the interests of the American working people. To also demand full employment for all Americans including free educational and vocational training for all who need or want it: We refuse to participate in the efforte withing made to separate us from other working people, making veter as enemies by giving us the charace of employment priority. The condemn this as a method of encouraging military enlistment by the false promise of employment after service. We also condemn the use of GI's Pational Guardsman, and reservists as appaired by the sakers.

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We have state? the 10th Objective for explanation on afore mentioned proposal.

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ACTING DIRECTOR, FBI

DATE:

SAC, LOS ANGELESL (100-81851) (C) $_{31}$ [16

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00: Los Angeles

Re Los Angeles nitel to Bureau dated 8/18/72, captioned "VIETNAM VETERANS'S AGAINST THE WAR (VVAW), IS-RA, " Bureau file 100-448092.

On 4/9/73, a check of the California Law Enforcement Telecommunication System (CLETS) revealed California license IVW 605 was a 1966 Rambler sedan re istered to

California.

on 4/12/73, dvised SA that he had no knowledge of an one with the name of

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This retaxt was a conversation with advised she had no idea how their car, pine 1, result could have been observed August 1972, because the automobile had never left the State of California. she would consult her husband and h ns,

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On 4/17/73, the above pretext was continued with She advised that after discussion of this matter with her husband and sons, she was certain their car had not left California and could not have been August 1972.

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Due to the above no further action is recommended. At such time as further information is developed which would indicate subversive and/or revolutionary involvement on the part of any member of the family, appropriate investigation will be conducted.

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Memorandum

TO : ACTING DIRECTOR, FBI

DATE: 4/26/73

FROM : SAC, SEATTLE (100-31762) (C)

SUBJECT - VAW

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Re Jacksonville airtel to Bureau, 7/3/72, captioned, Vietnam Veterans Against the War, IS - REVACT.

This case was predicated upon receipt of infrmation from Jacksonville that subject was chapter coordinator of the VVAW at Seattle Community College, Seattle, Washington.

On August 3, 1972, SA made a pretext telephone call to the subject's residence using the pretext of a At this time a mile answering the prend who intentified himself as advised that he used to be involved in VVAW activities in the Seattle area, however, by in the local involved. Subject stated he used to the VVAW at Seattle Community College but that he had lost interest as most of the other VVAW members have done. Subject stated that VVAW organization is very disorganized in Seattle and only has about six members.

On October 30, 1972, the following agencies were checked regarding the subject with negative results:

Seattle Police Department King County Police Department

On January 26, 1973, a review of subject's military record revealed no disciplinary problems while subject was in the service and that he was discharged honorably on February 19, 197

Subject does not meet present Adex criteria. This case is being closed subject to reopening at later date should circumstances warrant such action.

The following sources in the Seattle Division who are familiar with Communist Party and related New Left organizations were contacted on indicated dates and advised they either did not know or could provide appositive information re subject:

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The following background information was furnished by a fourth confidential source, who has furnished reliable information in the past:

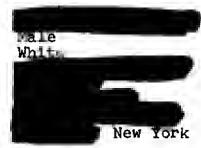
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Date of Birth: Marital Status:

Social Security Number: Residence:



Other sources, who are familiar with radical activities in the New York Metropolitan area, were contacted, however, with negative results.

On December 18, 1972, telephone number was contacted, under suitable pretext, by a Special Agent of the FBI. It was determined that the subject resides at the location of this telephone which is listed to Queens, New York.

The first source advised on the subject attended a meeting of the New York Chapter of the VVAW on

On February 4, 1973, a third confidential source, who has furnished reliable information in the past, advised that the subject attended to the lew York City Chapter of the VVAW held the transfer of the Lew York office, at their new office, 857 Broadway, Inc. of the York, New York.

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TO

ACTING DIRECTOR, FBI

DATE: 4/30/73

FROM

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SUBJECT:

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Enclosed for the Sureau are five (5) copies of a letterhead memorandum suitable for dissemination.

Letterhead memorandum is not being disseminated locally to U.S. Secret Service. Letterhead memorandum is not being classified.

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No request is being made to interview subject due to her student status, it appears her only involvement is with the VVAW and it is felt interview with her would not be productive in obtaining any information of value not already known to the Bureau and she is not considered a potential informant of value.

Subject's activities do not appear to meet the criteria for inclusion in ADEX and therefore, no such recommendation is being made.

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No further investigation is being recommended and this case is being considered closed, subject to being re-opened if subject's future activities so warrant further investigation. Subjects does not appear to be a leader. SE 100-31762

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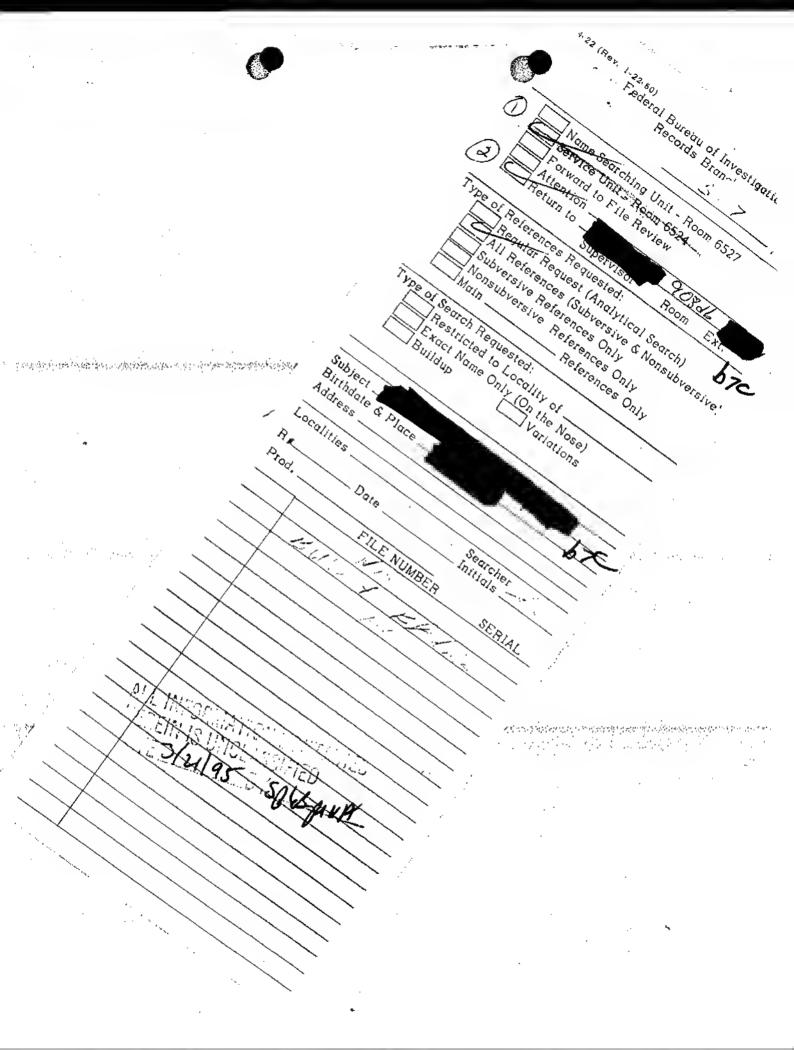
The following descriptive data is being supplied Bureau for indexing purposes only. Photo of subject is contained in Seattle file:

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DATE:

FROM :

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SAC, NEW YORK (100-177429) (<)

SUBJECT:

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Enclosed herewith are five copies of an LHM concerning the above captioned subject.

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conducted pretext call under the guise of a friend of the subject.

Other sources contacted, however, with negative results are:

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The record of the New York City Police Department and the Credit Bureau of Greater New York contained no information concerning the subject.

Inasmuch as the subject does not meet the ADEX criteria, no further investigation is being conducted.

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New York, New York April 26, 1973

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A first confidential source, who has further by the reliable information in the past, advised on the subject attended a meeting of the New York thapter of the Vietnam Veterans Against the War (VVAW) located at 25 West 26th Street, New York, New York. The source advised on the same day that the subject appears on the membership list of the VVAW under telephone number 457-3948.

VVAW

The VVAW is a national organization composed primarily of veterans of the war in Vietnam, that has organized and participated in numerous demonstrations against the war in Vietnam during 1970-1972, including the seizure of the Statue of Liberty, New York City, and the occupation of the Betsy Ross House, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, in December, 1971. Six members of the VVAW were indicted by a Federal Grand Jury, Tallahassee, Florida, July, 1972, on charge of conspiracy to violate the Federal Antiriot Laws.

The first source advisor on to a committee subject was appointed, on the New York Chapter of the VVAW.

On November 3, 1972, a second confidential source, who has furnished reliable information in the past, advised that the subject is the Queens County Coordinator of the VVAW and resides at Queens, New York (telephone number)

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Mansas City, Missouri

April 30, 1973

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On October 19, 1972, advised that on October 15, 1972, a Vietnam Veterans Against the War (VVAW) regional caucus meeting was fold in Topeka, Kansas, and among these present was Lawrence; Kansas.

The VVAW was lounded in the spring of 1967 by six young Vietnam vetorans in New York City. At the beginning of 1968, with 600 members, VVAW opened a national office, fornded the first GI newspaper, "Vietnam GI", and sent close to 500 voterans into the Mc Carthy campaign to beat down the red miters. After getting gassed at the Democratic convention at Chicago and caught in the general "down" of the peace movement, VVAW was nearly inactive until the moratoriums in the fall of 1960. Members of VVAW led student strikes on major campuses across the country and battled Veterans Administration Respital authorities over threats to throw amputee Vietnam veterans out for signing anti-war petitions. At present, membership of the VVAW, nationally, consists of 3,500 members.

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Arrest Record

On December 18, 1972, the following persons advised they could locate no record of Tiles of their respective departments:

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ACTIVITIES REGARDING VVAW

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advised that on a VVAW regional caucus meeting was held in , lansas, and among those present was Source advised the main topic of discussion at the caucus was the recent National Steering Committee meeting at Palo Alto, California, and the decision there to change the name of the VVAW to Winter Soldier Committee. The members of the VVAW were divided into groups to assist in the organization of the new Winter Soldier Committee and was placed in the Public Relations group. at this meeting, according to source, plans were discussed for various marches by the VVAW.

Source further advised that on a meeting of the Potawatomie Indians was held at 10 and was present and volunteered the VVAW support in connection with an intended sit-in at the Capitol in Topeka, Kansas, November 1-7, 1972.

Source further advised that a VVAW meeting was held! in Kansas City, Missouri and was not among those present.

On October 26, 1972, advised that at the dedication festivities at the Kansas City International Airport on October 23, 1972, approximately nine people carrying Burma Shave signs with anti-war slogans demonstrated at the terminal and was one of the demonstrators. Source advised the demonstration was very peaceful and there was no violence of any sort.

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On October 31, 1972, advised that on October 7, 1972, a Military Counseling Training Workshop was held in Kansas City, Missouri, and this meeting was sponsored by the GI Assistance Project (GIAP), which is headquartered in St. Louis, Missouri. Source advised this meeting was conducted by Chicago area GIAP representatives, who solicited signatures on a petition on behalf of a Private Billy Smith, who was going on trial and accused of killing U. S. Army officers in Vietnam during 1971. Certain signatures were secured. Source advised that later the same day, another petition regarding Private Smith was circulated and among names appearing on this potition was

On January 23, 1973, advised that on January 20, 1073, members of the VVAW assembled at the Arlington National Cemetery in preparation for demonstration activities in connection with the Inauguration of Prosident Nixon. Source advised that was among those present at the cemetery. Source advised there were other peace groups who joined the VVAW participants in a common protest and that approximately 25,000 to 35,000 people were assembled for this protest. Source advised there were no incidences of violence or any conspiracy to commit acts of violence or police confrontations.

type violent activity.

On January 22, 1973, and advised that is unknown and not known to be involved in any Subversive ba, 670

On February 12, 1979, Madvised that on February 9-11, 1973, VVAN held a regional caucus in 17C

Wichita, Hansas, and among those present was Source advised discussions generally centered around a VVAW leader's forthcoming trip to Paris and Rome in connection with amnesty for describers and Selective Service violators. Discussion was also had concerning another upcoming convoy to Cairo, Illinois.

On March 20 and 20, 1772, advised that leaflets were being passed out on the RU campus and signs appearing on bulletin boards stating that the VVAW on April 7, 1878, will be making another convoy to the black domainty in Jairo, Illinois, and requested domained of baby food, named food, clething, toys, non-prescription medical supplies and office equipment. The domations could be left at various locations, including the First Methodist Church, Lawrence, Rausas. Source advised the leaflets and signs stated that if anyone desired information concerning these domations to eatly in the phone number of

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Hansas City, Missouri

April 30, 1078

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All sources (except any listed below) whose identities are concealed in referenced communication have furnished reliable information in the past.

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Dallas, Texas April 26, 1973

Director United States Secret Service Department of the Treasury Washington, D. C. 20220

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On October 15, 1971, and advised that approximately one month ago, a Vietnam Veterans Against the War (VVAW) organization was admitted on the campus of Texas Christian University (TCU), Fort Worth, Texas. The leader of this organization was

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The VVAW is an anti-war organization organized in 1967, with headquarters in New York City. Its first publicized objective is "to demand an immediate secession of fighting and the withdrawal of all American troops from Indo-China.

related appears to be a sincere individual who does not believe that the United States should be involved in the war in Southeast Asia.

stated the VVAW organization at TCU has less than 15 members and does not have much student support on campus. There is a \$5.00 membership fee, \$3.00 of which goes to the national organization in New York and \$2.00 to the local organization. This appears to be the only source of income for this organization.

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On December 17, 1971, Retail Merchants Credit Association, Fort Worth, Texas, advised that subject has been known to their files since 1967. Subject is listed as a TCU student with no other employment shown. No derogatory information was located in his file.

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On March 28, 1972, a pretext telephone call was made by a Special Agent of the FBI to the residence of Texas, who was the Texas. VVAW leader. An individual who identified herself as girl friend, related that the Texas chapter was the only active that I in the area and that the chapter at TCU headed by was inactive and has done nothing at all.

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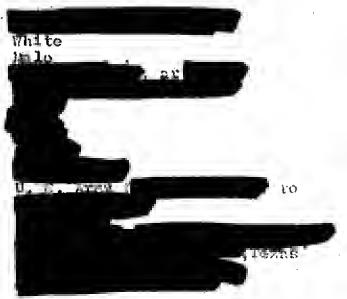
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SECURITY MATTER - VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR

Reference

Dallas letterhead memorandum, dated and captioned as above.

All sources (except any listed below) whose identities are concealed in referenced communication have furnished reliable information in the past.

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VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR (VVAW) MEMBERS AND ACTIVITIES, ADVISED
THAT THE VVAW HELD A NATIONAL STEERING COMMITTEE (NSC) MEETING
4/19-23/73 AT LAS PLACITAS, NEW MEXICO.

VVAW WAS FOUNDED IN THE SPRING 1967 BY YOUNG VIETNAM VETERANS IN NEW YORK CITY. VVAW MEMBERS HAVE LED PUBLIC DEMONSTRATIONS AGAINST THE WAR IN VIETNAM.

THE STATES REPRESENTED AT THE MEETING WERE KANSAS, MISSOURI,
NEW YORK, CALIFORNIA, ARKANSAS, COLORADO, FLORIDA, WISCONSIN,
ELINOIS, TEXAS, NEW ENGLAND REGION, OREGON AND LOUISIANA. THE
MEETING WAS DIVIDED INTO WORKSHOP GROUPS, MOST SIGNIFICANT

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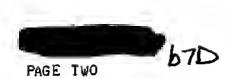
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SCOTT CAMILE, DNE OF THE GAINESVILLE SIX DEFENDANTS, HEADED
THE GAINESVILLE ACTION GROUP. THE GROUP DECIDED THAT ACTION AT THE
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MARCHES, MOCK GRAND JURY PROCEEDINGS AND TRIALS, AN
ESTABLISHMENT OF GAINESVILLE CAMP WHICH WOULD HAVE A STRONG
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IN GAINESVILLE, FLDRIDA. ALL PEOPLE ENTERING THE GAINESVILLE
CAMP MUST PASS A STRICT SECURITY CHECK, THAT IS FIRST BE APPROVED
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THE WDUNDED KNEE WDRKSHOP GRDUP WAS ADDRESSED BY TWO INDIAN REPRESENTATIVES FROM WDUNDED KNEE. THESE REPRESENTATIVES STRESSED THE FACT THAT AMERICAN INDIAN MOVEMENT IS DETERMINED TO STAY IN WOUNDED KNEE UNTIL ALL DEMANDS ARE MET. THE REPRESENTATIVES INVITED VVAW PEDPLE TO COME TO WDUNDED KNEE, REQUESTING SUCH FEDPLE TO BRING MEDICAL AND PLUMBING SUPPLIES. THE INDIANS PROMISED THE VVAW MEMBERS WOULD BE SHOWN MORE RESPECT THEN THEY HAD BEEN IN THE PAST. THE REPRESENTATIVES, HOWEVER, INDICATED THAT VVAW WOULD ONLY OCCUPY A PDSITIDN OF SUPPORT AND NDT LEADERSHIP IN WOUNDED KNEE. THE REPRESENTATIVES NOTED THAT END PAGE TWO

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THE POST VIETNAM SYNDROME WORKSHOP CONSISTED ESSENTIALLY

OF THE DISTRIBUTION OF A REPORT COMPILED BY DONALD G. KEMP,

INMATE OF THE WAUPUN STATE PRISON AND PVS COORDINATOR.

THE WORKSHOP WAS CONOUCTED BY MILWAUKEE CHAPTER.

THE NEXT NSC MEETING IS SCHEOULED TO BE HELD IN GAINESVILLE, FLORIDA, BEGINNING 8/16/73, TO LAST FOR APPROXIMATELY FOUR DAYS.

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VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR (VVAW) NEWSLETTER NUMBER FOUR

On April 2, 1973, a source, who has provided reliable information in the past, provided a xerox copy of VVAW News-letter Number Four dated March 25, 1973. This newsletter bears the letterhead of the VVAW National Office, 827 West Newport, Chicago, Illinois, 60657, telephone number (312) 935-2129. Topics included are an update of the Wounded Knee situation, various VVAW regional news, and a reference to VVAW Newsletter Number Three, which advised VVAW members "DON'T TALK TO THE GODDAMN FBI!". A copy of this newsletter is attached.

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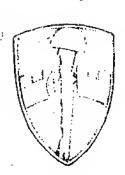
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Hewsletter #4

March 25, 1973

GENERAL INFORMS TION

Wounderl Knee 1973 - Upliate -

The situation at Wounded Knee between the feds and the citizens of the Independent Oglala Nation remains stalemated. Since the last newsletter, the government has presented a four-page proposal which amounted to nothing more than unconditional surrender, which the Indians naturally refused. The government remains adament in not taking the demands of the fedians seriously. Government forces have been beefed-up around the perimeter of Wounded Knee. BlA Indian police have been called in in large numbers from reservations from around the country and are serving, at least for the time being, as a back-up force. There have been a couple of heavy firefights this past week, fortunately, without any casualties. Contrary to media reports, most of the shooting has been between the feds firing at one another from different positions. They really don't know what they are doing and they are also airaid. As a consequence, they have been real trigger happy. The feds are so incpt, that when they fire off flares at night, they sometimes shoot them up into the wind, only to have them come down on their own positions. (They must have been trained by the ARVNs.)

One tactic being used by the government is to make it appear that the families of Wounded Knee do not support the take-over and declaration of sovereignty. These families were the ones who requested AIM to come in, in the first place. Last week when the roadblocks were temporarily lifted, the government told the residents that they would be free to go into Pine Ringe for food, laundry, etc., and that they would also be free to re-enter Wounded Knee. When the people tried to get back, however, they were denied access to their homes and were forced to take shelter in Pine Ridge. Many families are now cut off from their homes. One family of twelve is being forced to live in one small room. The government did this without any regard for the welfare of these families of their right to enter or leave their homes whenever they wish just so the American public would be duped into thinking AIM was in Wounded Knee without the consent of the people living there.

In one week's time, close to 100 bunks have been been built, fourteen new rooms have been erected, an underground warehouse has been established, hides of come claughtered for food are being held in areas ranging from first-aid to the use of weapons. The evenings consist of meetings of the entire community with information enchanged, singing and various other cultural activities being enjoyed.

Friday evening, March 16th, 349 people were sworn in as citizens of the new nation including 189 Oglalas, 160 Indians from other tribes, Chicanos and several whites and blacks. Fourteen other Indian, nations have also issued Declarations of Independence.

People should not attempt, under any circumstances, to enter the Wounded Knee area. The feds have sealed the area off pretty effectively and all you are going to do is get busted. The logal defense committee has already got its hands full dealing with the 175 people that have already been busted and they Jon't need the additional strain on their resources. Their first priority is handling the legal needs of the Indian people. They can't Jo an effective job if they have to be diverted to getting other people out of the joint.

The Commo Center in Rapid City has been deluged with people c. ming in that don't want to do anything dicept hang around. Facilities are extremely scarce, so they don't want more people coming in than they have room for. There has also been a few weird, adventuristic people coming in falsely claiming to be with VVAW that have caused a lot of trouble and create! friction with the Indians. So, the support center has requested that if you have any skills that can contribute to the support center and want to go, contact the National Office first, and we'll clear it with the people in Rapid City. They have urgently requested the following supplies

for their office and for the people in Wounded Knee; medical supplies, food, money and office supplies: mimeo, pens, paper and again people skilled in office or medical work, paralogals, etc. Many chapters of VVAW have already brought in large amounts of supplies for the Indians, including Milwaukee, St. Louis, Karreity, Buffalo and Missoula, Montana.

of the Independent Oglala Nation. Listed below are the ones we have knowledge of:

March 17 - Mt. Rushmore - Approximately 125 people including 75 from VVAW were blocked from Mt. Rushmore by the police who bulldozed snow on the road then declared the road impassible.

March 21 - DeKalb, Ill. - Over 50 people participated in a silent vigil at Northern Illinois campus. Included was a short Indian prayer about Wounded Knee 1890. New Orleans, La. - 25 people from VVAW and NAM picketed the FBI building in support of Wounded Knee.

San Francisco and Los Angeles, Calif. - VVAW took part in demonstrations and rallies in support of the Independent Oglala Nation.

The following address are important for you to have:

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Another tactic uses by the feds to try to break up support for the people inside of Wounded Knee was to arrest anyone in the area who looked like a supporter or potential supporter of the Indians, lock them up for a few days and then release them on bail with the stipulation that they must leave the area immediately. Over two hundred people were dealt with in this manner. Once in Jail, the POWs were heavily intimidated by the fews in hope of scaring them off for good. But, as always, this just served to make the people's will to resist and fight against the oppression that much stronger.

In response to a request from reliable persons in the struggle around Wounded Knee, the National Collective recide to send two representatives, Bill Branson and Bart Savage, to the Wounde Knee area for the purposes of gathering information and to express solidarity with the people of the Independent Oglala Nation.

Bill and Bart were arrested in the vicinity of Wounded Knee on March 13th by FBI agents and federal marshalls at a roadblock on Big Foot Road. They were charged with interfering with and impeding the official duties of federal marshalls. This charge is a felony and carries a maximum of five years in the can and/or a \$10,000 fine. The official duties of the marshalls were to man the roadblock and search every car that came up to it. Bill and Bart, having their car searched, in effect were interfering and impeding the marshalls from carrying out their official directives. (Catch-22)

They were taken to jail in Pine Ridge, to await transportation to Rapid City. They spent three days there including the first night sleeping on the cement floor with no blankets during a big blizzard and the windows open. One old man had to be rushed to the hospital with pneumonia the next day as a result of this.

They rode up to Rapid City on Friday with four Indian Brothers including a Cheyenne medicne man. They got there in time for their arraignment and bail hearing at 4PM. The US attorney was asking for \$50,000 bail each. He askell for the high bail because he didn't believe that if released they would leave the area but he also felt that if they left the area, they wouldn't return for trial. Logically, his solution was for them to stay in jail until their trial date. The magistrate, being a great humanitarian and defender of the oppressed, lowered the bail to a measely \$5,000 each.

On Monday afternoon another bail hearing was held. The situation was a little different this time. Every cell in Rapid City and Pine Ridge was completely filled. They were forced to transfer some of the people to Deadwood. So nine people, including Bart and Bill were released on their own recognizance. The conditions of the bail included that they had to leave the state immediately. During their stay in custody, they were questioned by the FBI in Pine Ridge and again in Rapid City. Each sersion lasted just long enough for them to read the two their rights and for Bart and Fill to tell them THAT THEY HAD NOTHING TO SAY. As of yet, no trial date has been sot.



National Collective Member in Cuba

Charly Gray, of the National Collective, recently departed this office for Cuba as a member of the Venceremos Brigade. The Brigade is an organization that annually sends American youth to Cuba where they learn about the Cuban revolution and see how the Cuban people live. Charly will be in Cuba, with the Brigade, for about two months building housing for Cuban workers and their families somewhere outside of Havana. While the National Collective will really miss Charly during her stay in Cuba, the experience she gains will be an asset to the entire organization when she returns. The way the Cuban people have solved the problems facing their society and the way they have improved the lives of all their people holds a lot of lessons that all of us in VVAW can learn from. HASTA LA VICTORIA SIEMPRE! SOLIDARITY WITH THE CUBAN PEOPLE!!

VVAW's Vietnam Victory Poster -

The poster on the back page of WINTER SOLDIER, "The People of Vietnam Have Been Victorious on the Battlefield," has been reproduced and can be obtained from the National Collective. The poster is 17" x 22" and in the same colors as shown on the newspaper. VVAW chapters should buy them from this office at a cost of three for a dollar, postage included. Other movement organizations can get them from us for 50¢ each, plus postage. Chapters can sell them for whatever price they decide on but the general price we are asking for the public is \$1.00 each. Please send the money in advance to this office. We are setting a minimum order of \$1.00 for each chapter that wants the posters, (which means that you have to order at least three.)

US Committee to Aid the NLF-SVN -

The enclosed literature and brochures are from the US Committee to Aid the NLF-SVN. This group is based in New York City and has consistently provided VVAW and other movement organizations with information concerning the situation in the South of Vietnam. They do not charge anything for much of their literature and the rest is nominal in cost. We would suggest that any chapter that is interested in obtaining good leaflets and information on the struggle of the Vietnamese people should contact them. If it is at all possible for you to send along a little bread with your orders, do it. They've earned it. The address is: US Committee to Aid the NLF-SVN, Box C, Cli Chelsea Station, New York, New York 10011. The phone number is (2:2) YU2-7162.

DON'T TALK TO THE FBI

During the past few months we have been getting a steady flow of reports of FBI agents contacting VVAW people around the country. During the past few months we have concurrently been putting out a steady stream of advice: DON'T TALK TO THE GODDAMN FBI! Nonetheless we continue to get calls from righteous brothers and sisters teiling us how they just talked with FBI agent so and so but that "they didn't learn anything they didn't already know." Somewhere there seems to be a communication gap in this steady stream of advice. So, here we go again. (PLEASE REFER TO NEWSLETTER #3 WHICH REPRINTED AN ARTICLE FROM KENT STATE VVAW ABOUT HOW TO DEAL WITH THE FBI.)

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Elgin Slide Show -

The Elgin, Illinois Chapter has updated its slide show, presented at the Chicago National Steering Committee, since the cease-fire, and it is now entitled, "An Honorable Peace?". Copies can be purchased, complete with sound track for \$25. The rate is \$60 for people outside of this organization. If you want to order a copy, you must send the money in advance as they need it to get the slides processed. The address in Elgin is: Elgin VVAW c/o Dave Thompson, 151 S. State, Elgin, Illinois 60120. The phone number is: (312) 697-6517.

REGIONAL NEWS

DeKalb, Illinois Report -

New that DeKalb is going to be the regional office (effective after the April NSCM) people should know whose we came from. The catalyst for our development was the mining of Haiphong. Tom Litney and Stan Taylor got together and decided it was time to get thingo going. Since then, we have grown to about 18 active members. The chapter began with rallies, Armed Forces Day action, trips to Cairo, the Republican Convention, mass leafleting, and participation in marches. Our most successful action was an anti-recruiting guerrilla theater put on in the University Center with the help of Bart Savage and Joe Petzel.

We have spent most of our time and efforts in educating ourselves and others, and in conjuction with this we are developing a revolutionary library. We worked with the DeKalb Anti-war Workgroup whose membership was in large part VVAW members. We showed slides and movies, brought in speakers, and held an information fair. We are having exchange sessions with Indonesian students and rap sessions on the ten objectives. We have set up information tables, have written papers on various subjects, met with several classes and had a lot of individual raps.

We have a PVS program started and are compiling a regional manual of guidelines and information, and have recruited help from the University Health Center's psychiatric staff as a referral service. We have also made ourselves available to the community for help with VA hassles, bad discharges and general hassles, (ie, support for the Powerpoits hasketball team that was kicked out of their intramural league because they didn't believe in the university's macho, competitive philosophy of sports). Our charter has also supported black teacher Dmitra Gronemeier in her fight against the sexist, recist staff who fired her for her refusal to play their game.

We have come to recognize the need to live as brother's and sisters and develop our politics collectively. The chapter is now run by a collective leadership with a rotating coordinatorship to do the chit work. We began a volleyball team in a men's intramural league with women on the team, but have not been confronted because the other teams have failed to show up. Soon, we may be getting a house for the collective to live in.

As a chapter we hope and look forward to VVAW's eventual conversion to a Winter Soldier organization. We intend to struggle for as long as it takes or to the end of our liver, whichever comes first. We feel the ten objectives can best be obtained by an organization such as Winter Soldier suggests, which can best utilize the available takent.



Redwood City, Californio meport -

The Redwood City Chapter is actively supporting the Farm Worker's boycott by picketing a local Saleway store one day a week. We are also spreading information about the Farah pants strike and the closing of our county hospital, which has been threatened by the county health department. The chapter has become active in other community organizations; our members participate in a night child care center, the People's Food Co-op, the Chino Desense Committee, the Neighborhood Development Council, and one of the brothers, Frank Milatzo, was just hired by People's Medical Center as an organizer for community fund raising. Frank has also put together a People's News Service which receives input from the local movement groups as well as sources such as Asian News Service. He passes on the information through a weekly talk show on a cable TV channel, a weekly news show on the Stanford University radio station, and through some contacts that he has developed at a commercial FAi station and at KPFA (Pacifica) in Berkeley. Another vet; Jesse Young, has some programming going at Foothill College radio station. The value of this could be demonstrated by a visit of someone from the Gainesville Defense Committee, for example, at which time we could make tapes for use at the cable TV station, as well as three or four radio stations.

The chapter has several memoers at nearby Canada College where the VVAW will sponsor a Political Awareness Film Program. Some vets there also laid a list of demands on the Junior College Board. While they haven't fired the College President yet, one immediate response was provisions for a Free Speech Hour each day.

· Looking Lhead, a concensus of opinion would show that the members are willing *: mobilize for actions like Thicu's visit to San Glemente, but as the situation in Indochina has changed, so we must change. We expect to continue our involvement in other progressive organizations and community issues and thereby learn to better serve the people.

Milwaukee, Wisconsin Report -

. In response to a growing need among people in our community due to the rising cost of food, VVAW has begun an East Side outlet of the Milwaukee Food Buying Co-op.: In the true sense of 'scrve the people', we are trying to establish viable alternatives to the government, and at the same time educating people as to the reasons for our doing this.

So far, the response from the people has been absolutely incredible. In four; weeks our total order has jumped from \$86 to \$189, with :5 family units participating. The reason for this being a 15¢ to 20¢ saving on each item on the list. We are acquiring a storefront in the neighborhood on May 1st, so that we can further expand our operations to SERVE THE PEOPLE! Committee of the contract ٦,

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April 13 - 15 - Wisconsin Regional Meeting - .

April 19-23 - National Steering Committee Meeting - Placitas, NM



NATIONAL OFFICE REPORTS -

\$50,000 Bail Set For Gary Lawton -

Recent developments in the trial of Gary Lawton, Nehemiah Jackson and Larrie Gardner have given cause for some limited optimism that these three brothers might be getting out of jail. After having been flatly denied bail for almost two years, the court has finally set a bail of \$50,000 for each of the defendants. While most courts would have immediately released them on personal recognizance bonds after the 9-3 verdice for acquittal in their first trial, it does nonetheless represent a small victory that they now at least have a chance of getting released on bond. The problem of actually raising the \$150,000 is something else altogether!

The trial itself has been scheduled for May 14th in the city of Riverside. To date no judge has been chosen to hear the case. Moving the trial from Indio to Riverside will certainly he a big help to the defense, given the increased visibility and community support they will receive there. John Thorn, George Jackson's old lawyer, was Gary's attorney for the pretrial motions for the second trial. Gary is still without a lawyer for the trial itself but a few attorneys are seriously considering taking the case.

Generally, the RPD is continuing its harrassment of the defense effort and of the brothers in jail. Cary's health has improved somewhat but still is subjected to regular abuse by the gunds. In addition, seven RPD officers recently broke into the home of a member of the Riverside Political Prisoners Defense Committee without giving any reason for the incident. The officer heading up this squad was Tennell, the same person that headed up the police unit that investigated the Gary Lawton case for the RPD:

The primary problem facing the defense effort, however, is financial. The fundraising situation is desparate. Unless each man can raise the \$50,000 bond, they will be forced to stay in fail for the duration of their second trial. Since their first trial lasted six months, longer than any criminal trial in the history of Riverside or San Bernadino Counties; and since Gary has already spent 23 months in jail - Larry and Nehemiah 17 months - this isn't a very pleasing situation. Without \$150,000 Gary, Larrie and Nehemiah will be forced to stay in jail. They need help raising bail! Send contributions to: Riverside Political Prisoners Defense Committee, PO Box 5:54, San Bernadino, California 92412, FREE GARY LAWTON! FREE ALL! POLITICAL PRISONERS!!

Research Department Report:

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The purpose of the research department is to keep us informed of current developments and trends in US policy and war related technological development. As we assimilate various data, technic lies and contradictions have become upparaut. Following are briefs of some information that we have come across. If anyone has further information or documentation that supports this info please send it to us.

The US has been training British and Brazilian troops at Camp LeJeune, NC. The exercises have involved incursions into Puerto Rico for "riot" training and were estensibly 'good will' missions. Other countries have been receiving training by US State Police in this country. These actions indicate a general shift in US foreign intervention from use of our troops to use of the indigenous forces for counter-insurgency to prop up new puppet regimes that are pro-US. It is possible that there may be a new type of SEATO alliance formed in the next year where the US maintains its influence, not by direct participation, but through these satellite

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regimes.

The main thrust of the Nixon administration is to reduce the visibility of the war, therefore, much of our work is to increase the visibility of the war and to explain its relevance to working, tax paying Americans. Hence, one of our main focuses of research has been on 'civilianization' of the war. The recruiting of civilian forces to continue our involvement and attempted control of Indochina is a violation in spirit of the whole agreement signed with the Vietnamese. This is a specific violation of Article 5, Chapter 2 and Article 6, Chapter 2. Why is it that the Nixon Administration has millions of US tax dollars to use in an illegal war after the treaty was signed, while there is decreasing aid for medical programs, and hospitals, education, housing, veterans' benefits, unemployment, food, etc.

Nuclear Weapons is another area in which we have been doing research. We received a call from Colorado VVAW who informed us that they received information on the transfer of the 134th Air Combat Wing from Offutt AFB. Nebraska to Thailand. The 134th has the triggering devices for nuclear weapons. We have heard from some former NSA people that there have been nuclear weapons stored in Thailand for several years. This transfer was to take place in the early part of January, just following the intense bombing of Hanoi and Haiphong. When we received this information we relayed it to friends in Washington DC, where hearings were in progress concerning some of Nixon's new appointees. The day after we called, official questioning were made on the US policy of using nuclear weapons in Indochina. During this time, Clements, one of Nixon's appointees admitted publicly that the possiblity of using nukes in Indochina had not been ruled out. Because of international and some Congressional pressure, the US cancelled this transfer of the 134th.

Winter Soldier -

The paper should be serving a two-fold purpose; internal dissemination and mass outreach. The Chicago Chapter has sold Winter Soldier on the streets and to book stores and has sold over 200 copies. This not only brings in money for the chapter, but lets people know who and where we are politically.

It is really not enough to just pass it among friends. DISSEMINATE TO EDUCATE.

The next issue of Winter Soldier will be off the presses before the NSCM. Please notify us, ASAP, if you want us to bring your region's copies to New Mexico. We would strongly advise this to regions that have large CCD bills. Regions that are fairly close to Chicago should consider driving here once a month to pick the papers up. Regions on the East and West coast should particularly let us know about bringing the papers to New Mexico.

For those chapters that will submit articles for any issue, please be concise and have them type written, double-spaced. Remember the paper is only 16 pages.

Buttons -

The national collective has finally ordered both VVAW and I Support VVAW buttons, but they will not be ready for delivery for a couple of weeks. If chapters are interested in obtaining some, keep in mind that due to a financial strain, we ordered only 2500 of each. If chapters have no means of ordering buttons from their own sources, please order from us, but again, remember to be (ugght!!) conservative as 5000 buttons must supply the entire organization for the time being.



INFORMATION REQUESTS -

Lists -

The National Collective is trying to put together a listing of movement organizations, resource support organizations, alternative newspapers and news media, sympathetic church groups, 3rd World organizations, etc. Please send these names, addresses and telephone numbers of organizations, etc., to us if you want them included in our lists. We realize it will take a little time to actually sit down and collect all the groups you have worked with or feel we should know about, but unless we get some response from you we can't very accurately draw up our list. We hope to be using it for mailings of Winter Soldier, general information, press releases, etc., not to mention just needing the contacts for general operation of the office. PLEASE SEND US THESE NAMES AND ADDRESSES! Thank you.

From St. Louis : ...

I need statements from Vietnam Veterans who spent time in Long Binh Jail, RVN, during the period of 1968-1969, concerning conditions at LBJ (particularly the use of CONEX boxes as cells, mistreatment, racial conflict, etc.) Please have the statements specify: 1. The period of incarceration; 2. Specific events wherever possible, including names of witnesses if possible. Please have the statements notarized, as I would like to present them as evidence in a bad discharge case where my client waived all his rights under the coercive conditions at LBJ. Please mail affidavits to: Toby Hollander, Military Law Project, Washington University School of Law, Skinner and Lindell Boulevards, St. Louis, Missouri 63:30. Phone: (314) 863-0100 X 4902, 4501.

From NYC VVAW -

We would like information from chapters that have obtained space in VA centers or hospitals. We are interested in starting a program of this sort and are in the process of finding out as much as possible. If you have this information please send it to: NYC VVAW, 857 Broadway, NYC, NY 10003. Phone: (212) 255-7017.

National Steering Committee Meeting -

The New Mexico chapter would like to remind people that the SCM is only a few weeks away and to date they have only received to entries for agenda items. SEND THIS INFORMATION ASAP. Two tents have been obtained for the meeting as well as a generator for electricity. It is still necessary for people to bring the gear requested, particularly mess kits. We are informed that the fright over the animals is not to be of any great concern. Therefore, its clear that the snakes, etc. will not bother us. Still needed: a mimeo, paper, etc. If anyone can help contact Katuscha at (505) 277-3171. Send agenda items to Bill Wyman, PO Box 586, Placitas, NM 87043. Also send a copy here to Chicago.

Winter Soldier -

Just another reminder - Articles must be submitted by the first of every month, double-spaced and type-written and concise. If you have not yet ordered copies of the first issue, please do so.

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April 28, 1973

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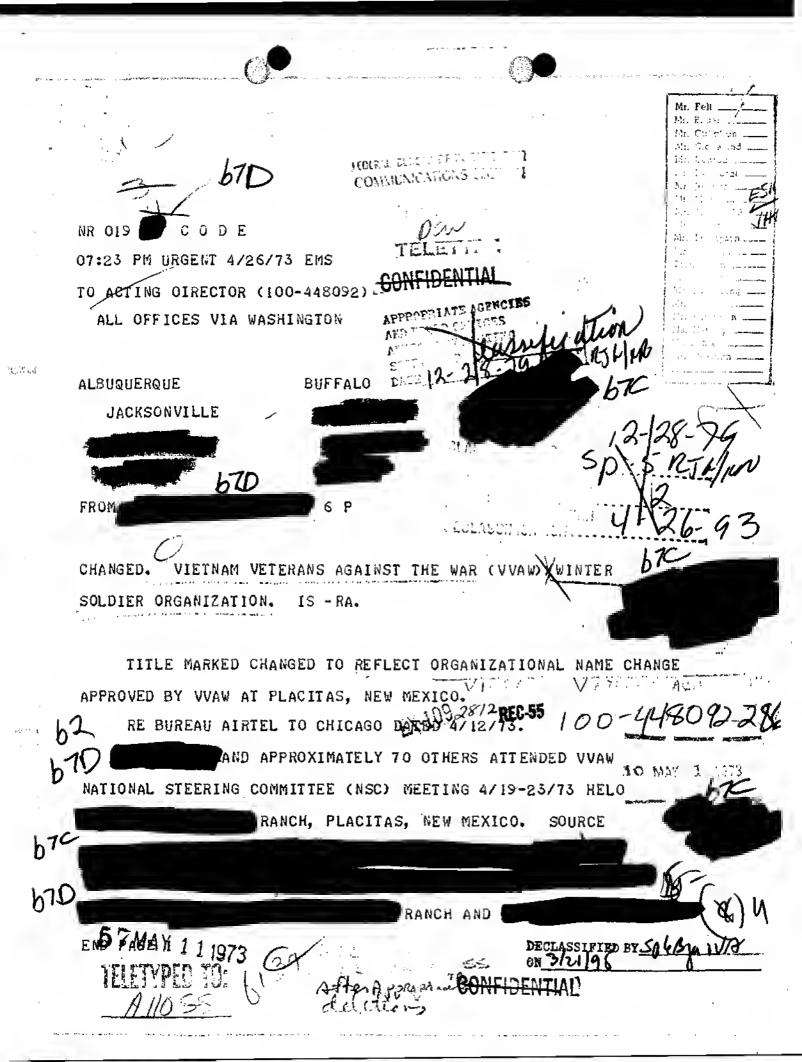
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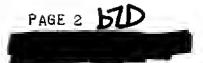
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ORIGINAL AGREEMENT WAS TO USE CENTER FOR MEETINGS ONLY.

HOWEVER, ATTENDEES ALSO SLEPT THERE AND BECAUSE OF THIS

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OR 8/23-27/73.

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FOR ANY CORRECTION AND/OF QUESTIONS PLEASE CALL THE ALBUQUERQUE OFFICE. THANKS.

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INFORMATIVE NOTE

Date ____ 5/3/73

Attached reports Vietnam Veterans Against the War (VVAW) has approved plans to organize a nationwide action day, 5/19/73 in protest to the Indochina war. It will be left to each VVAW region to determine what action is to he taken. FBI Offices will be advised and requested to target informants to ohtain additional information.

Pertinent data in attached sent hy teletype to White House, Attorney General, Deputy Attorney General, Secret Service and Defense Intelligence Agency; also, to Assistant Attorney General, Criminal Division and Internal Security Section of the Bepartment.

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VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR NATIONWIDE ACTION 5/19/73.

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Memorandum

to; / ACTING DIRECTOR, FBI

DATE: 5/2/73

FROM SAC, SPRINGFIELD (100-13658) (C)

SUBJECT:

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Enclosed for the Sureau is the original and four copies of an LHM. FD-376 is stapled to enclosed LHM.

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Sources utilized in enclosed LHM are identified as follows:



Source 3 A well placed source

The other governmental agency advising 3/14/73 that there is no military record for subject was the National Personnel Records Center, St. Louis, Missouri.

Interview is not recommended since it is felt subject could not provide any useful information and could not place himself in a position to gain information.

Springfield Division is conducting no further investigation of subject since his only affiliation was with VVAW at SIU at Carbondale and while this affiliation existed did not advocate or participate in violent protests or revolutionary activity.

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UNLIED STATES DEPARTMENT OF . STICE FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20535 Springfield, Illinois May 2, 1973

Director United States Secret Service Department of the Treasury Washington, D. C. 20220

RE: 67C

Dear Sir:

The information furnished herewith concerns an individual or organization believed to be covered by the agreement between the FBI and Secret Service concerning protective responsibilities, and to fall within the category or categories checked.

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

Springfield, Illinois
May 2, 1973

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All sources mentioned herein have furnished reliable information in the past.

On July 27, 1972, Springfield Confidential Source 1 advised that Vietnam Veterans Against the War (VVAW) as a group had no part in the demonstrations against the war in Vietnam. which took place at Southern Illinois University (SIU), Carbondale, Illinois, May 9-11, 1972, resulting in the arrest of approximately seventy persons. Source indicated that VVAW is a defunct organization at Southern Illinois University, not having held a meeting since around December, 1971. Source 1 stated that VVAW was formed as a local chapter at SIU and did not become affiliated with the national or regional organizations of VVAW. Source 1 advised subject was affiliated with VVAW at SIU and is currently enrolled for the summer cuarter, 1972. Subject's Social Security Account Number is Home address unknown. Source 1 further advised surject was not observed as a participant in demonstrations at SIU in May, 1972, has no known current affiliations with militant or new left groups, and is not regarded as violent.

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On October 20, 1972, Springfield Confidential Source 2 advised that subject is enrolled at SIU and lists his address as Illinois, telephone

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On October 20, 1972, Springfield Confidential Source 3 advised that VVAW at SIU first became active the beginning of the 1971 fall quarter; remained local in nature and never joined with VVAW, incorporated, although this was considered on several occasions. At no time was the SIU group ever involved in violent demonstrations. All their protests were peaceful and legitimate. Beginning about January, 1972, the activity of the VVAW at SIU decreased and the group has since become inactive and no organized activity exists at the present time.

On October 20, 1972, Source 1 advised that subject is not presently affiliated with any organized protest or revolutionary group at SIU. Subject's only affiliation at SIU was with VVAW and while this association existed did not advocate or participate in violent or revolutionary activity.

Source 2 advised December 26, 1972 that subject has not pre-enrolled for the spring quarter at SIU-Carbondale but that this is not a definite indication that subject has no plans of enrolling. Due to computerization of records, it is not possible to determine if subject's transcript has been forwarded to another school.

Source 1 advised February 26, 1973, that subject's name has not come up as being involved in any violent or revolutionary activity at Southern Illinois University (SIU). A review of the current student register at SIU on February 26, 1973, reflects that subject is not currently enrolled.

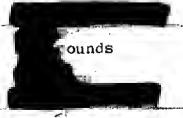
Another Governmental Agency advised March 14, 1973 that there is no record of subject ever having served in the United States Armed Forces.

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Records of the Secretary of State's Office, Springfield, Illinois, reflected on April 6, 1973 that no Firearm Owner's Identification card has been issued to subject.

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ACTING DIRECTOR, FBI

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4/30/73

FROM DEAC, CINCINNATI (100-DEAD)

SUBJECT:



Re Jacksonville airtel to Bureau dated 7/3/72 and 0-1 Form dated 4/24/73, returned herewith.

Review of Cincinnati Office indices fails to disclose any information on the captioned individual in addition to that contained in referenced airtel.

Informants and knowledgeable sources of the Cincinnation Division have furnished no information indicating subversive activity or affiliation of the subject.

In view of lack of information indicating any activity or affiliation of the subject with any subversive individuals or organizations, no investigation has been conducted regarding captioned individual by the Cincinnati Office. In the event information of a subversive nature involving the subject is developed in the future, investigation will be immediately instituted and the Bureau advised.

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TO

ACTING DIRECTOR, FBI

DATE: 5/3/73

SAC. DENVER 100-11051) (C)

SUBJECT:

FIRANS AGAINST THE WAR INTERNAL SECURITY - REVOLUTIONARY ACTIVITIES

Reference Denver letter to the Bureau dated 2/27/73, and captioned, "VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR (VVAW), IS - RA", and Denver airtel to the Bureau dated 5/26/72.

Enclosed for the Bureau are five copies of an LHM regarding the subject. One copy of the LHM is being furnished locally to the U. S. Secret Service.

Enclosed LHm is classified "Confidential" as unauthorized disclosure could reasonably be expected to damage national security by compromising sources, informants who have furnished valuable information on a continuing basis.

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It is recommended the subject not be considered for ADEX and interviewing her is not planned due to information revealing she has been uncooperative and antagonistic regarding local police interviews.

No further investigation is being conducted in view of the facts obtained and background investigation and criteria set out in Bureau memo 21-72 dated 9/12/72.

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The following sources were utilized in the enclosed LHM:

Source One: Public Service Company, enver, Colora o;

Source Two: Denver Police Department, Identification and The Colorado;

Source Three: SA Colorado Bureau of Investigation, Denver, Colorado;

Source Six: Officer Department, Intelligence Division, Tenver, Colorado.



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CONFICTUAL MATERIAL ATTACHED

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20535

May 2, 1973

Director United States Secret Service Department of the Treasury Washington, D. C. 20220

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CONFIDENTIAL UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Denver, Colorado May 2, 1973 all 67C

VIETNAM VEIL ANS AGAINST THE WAR INTERNAL SECURITY - REVOLUTIONARY ACTIVITIES

I. Background

A. Description

MEMBER OF SUBJECT ORGANIZATION

is described as follows:

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On January 23, 1973, source one, who has furnished reliable information in the past, advised the subject resides at the above-mentioned address.

B. Credit and Arrest

Credit checks conducted at Denver, Colorado, on July 12, 1972, were negative regarding the subject.

On June 22, 1972, source two, who has furnished reliable information in the past, advised the subject has no record in the Denver Police Department, Denver, Colorado, files.

C. Employment

On February 13, 1973, source three, who has furnished reliable information in the past, advised the subject is a full-time student at Metro State College, Denver, Colorado.

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II. Activities

On February 22, 1972, subject's name was obtained from a Vietnam Veterans Against the War (VVAW) list prepared for the purpose of distributing its newspaper, "HOA BINH" and lists members and supporters of VVAW in the regional areas of Colorado, Wyoming and Utah. The above information was furnished by source five.

The VVAW was founded in the spring of 1967 by six young Vietnam veterans in New York City. At the beginning of 1968, with 600 members, VVAW opened a national office, founded the first GI newspaper, "Vietnam GI," and sent close to 500 veterans into the mcCarthy campaign to beat down the red baiters. After getting gassed at the Demo-cratic Convention in Chicago and caught in the general "down" of the peace movement, of the peace movement, VVAW was nearly inactive until the moratoriums in the fall of 1969. Members of VVAW led student strikes on major campuses across the country and battled Veterans Administration Hospital authorities over threats to throw amputee Vetnam veterans out for signing anti-war petitions. At present, membership of the VVAW, nationally, consists of 8.500 members \

On November 15, 1972, source six, who has furnished reliable information in the past, advised the subject is currently a member of VVAW but has never been arrested. Her activities include meetings and demonstration attendance, but no destructive activity has ever been witnessed.

On January 22, 1973, source three stated is an active member of Denver VVAW but is not considered militant. She probably would not be cooperative with law enforcement, but neither is she destructive.

On April 24, 1973, source four who has provided reliable information in the past, advised the subject is not active in VVAW activities at Metro State College, Denver, Colorado.

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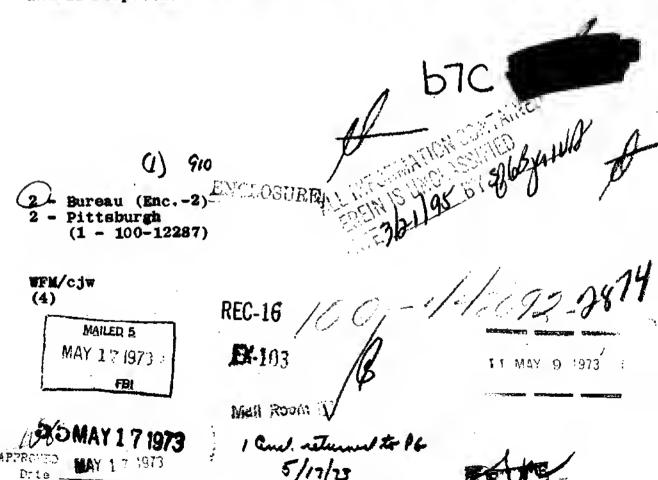
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Enclosed for Bureau approval are 2 copies of amended characterization of the Pittsburgh Chapter of the VVAW.

For the information of the Bureau, the date shown in paragraph two of the original characterization was incorrect. The enclosed amended characterization is correct in all respects.



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PITTSBURGH CHAPTER, VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR (VVAW)

On May 16, 1972, a source advised that the Pittsburgh Chapter of VVAW was formed during early 1971, primarily to bring an immediate cessation of fighting and the withdrawal of all American military personnel from Indochina.

On April 27, 1972, a second source advised the Pittshurgh Chapter of VVAW is affiliated with but operates independently of the National VVAW organization. According to source, the Pittshurgh Chapter of VVAW only supporte National VVAW actions which are deemed relevant.

On March 8, 1973, a third source advised the Pittsburgh Chapter of VVAW has no headquarters, officers, members, meetings, finances, activities, or literature of a local nature being distributed. According to the source, the Pittsburgh VVAW is now defunct.

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, Westmoreland County Courthouse Building, Greensburg, pa., advised that he has no information that there was any active organization known as the VVAW in Westmoreland County, Pa., or any attempts by the county of the VVAW in the local area. Said that there is no record of any arrest trecord when he was arrested

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> Re CI teletype to Bureau, 3/31/73, and OM teletype 62 to Bureau, 4/1/73.

67D On 3/29/73, Cincinnati, Obio, PD, Intelligence Unit, advised that members of the VVAW would depart on 3/29/73, for Wounded Knee, South Dakota, carrying food and clothing. On the same date, the limit who has furnished reliable information in the past, advised that he learned directly from VVAW, that the group had changed plane and joined forces Wit MOU and RU. Source advised that the departure date had been set for the morning of 3/31/73. Source stated that the group would start in Cincinnati, Ohio, and travel to Miami University

in Oxford, Ohio, where they would join other units which would, he loaded with additional supplies. The group was thereafter to proceed to Wounded Knee, South Dakota.

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On Saturday, 3/31/73, Cincinnati Agente eurveyed locations from which the caravan was scheduled to depart. No vehicles or activity were noticed at these locations. The Cincinnati Agente then drove to Miami University at Oxford, Ohio, where a surveillance was set up on vehicles suspected of participating in the caravan to Wounded Knee.

At 4:15 p.m. on 3/31/73, a caravan of four vehicles departed Oxford, Ohio, en route to Wounded Knee. Approximately one hour after the caravan left Oxford, Ohio, two of the vehicles returned to Oxford and two continued on the journey to Wounded Knee. A surveillance was reinstituted at Oxford on the returning vehicles and it was determined that they carried a minimum of eupplies and obviously did not intend to return to Wounded Knee.

On 4/1/73, a member of the two vehicle caravan stopped Omaha Agents in Sioux City, Iowa, and adviced that his group were taking food and clothing to the Reverend NOAH BROKEN LEG, at Bishop Harris High School in Mission, South Dakota. The individual advised that the food and clothing had heen collected as a result of a drive eponsored hy Miami University at Oxford, Ohio, and further adviced that his group did not wieh to he arrested and had no intention of going to Wounded Knee hut were only representativee from Oxford, Ohio, who had volunteered to deliver the food and clothing. The individual voluntarily allowed hoth vehicles to he searched hy FBI Agents and nothing was located hut food and clothing.

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In Reply, Please Refer to File No. Seattle, Washington May 3, 1973

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RE: VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR (VVAW)

On May 3, 1973, a source, who has furnished reliable information in the past, reported the VVAW groups in the State of Washington are not functioning to any effective degree. Meetings are not being held on a regular basis and there does not appear to be any planned program of action. At the present time the focus of attention of the limited membership is on the following items:

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- Amnesty for draft evaders and deserters.
- 3. Veteran's benefits.
- 4. Post-Vietnam Syndrome (PVS).

To protest No. 1 above, a demonstration is being considered for the Seattle area on May 12, 1973, using the war and amnesty as rallying points.

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With regard to point 2, the national office of the VVAW has made Portland, Oregon the center of amnesty action for the United States.

With regard to point 3, a demonstration which may be called DEWEY CANYON, III, is being considered for June, 1973, at Olympia, Washington (the State Capital) to protest cuts in veterans' benefits.

Regarding point 4, a conference sponsored by the VVAW in cooperation with the University of Washington, Seattle, is being considered for about May 17, 1973, regarding the PVS, which was not further identified as to the nature of this syndrome.

An attempt was made by the national VVAW office to impose a centrist (Stalinist) type organization on the entire VVAW organization. Among the proposals from the national office were:

- Install regional officers sent from the national office.
- 2. Control VVAW activities from the top.
- Expel all VVAW members who are also affiliated with the Progressive Labor Party (PLP).

The Progressive Labor Party (PLP) was founded in 1962 by individuals expelled from the Communist Party, USA, for following the Chinese communist line. Its objective is the establishment of a militant working-class movement based on Marxism-Leninism and MAO Tse-tung thought.

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These three proposals were dropped after a storm of defiance was raised by the various regions. The national office leadership presently appears to be very weak. Unless they can stage a remarkable comeback, they probably will be "thrown out" at the next national meeting. An implication of the weakness was shown recently when a national conference was called for in New Mexico at the end of April, 1973, and then canceled by the national office. No known date or place has been set for a new conference.

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INSPECTOR to SA

This is a pending organizational Internel Socurity case assisted and supervised by SA

On February 20, 1973, a teletype wes received from the San Diego Division which was elso furnished to the Bureeu and Los Angeles, advising thet e confidential source of the San Diego Office stated that the VVAW Regional Conference was held in Santa Barbare, California, on February 16 - 18, 1973, end that a reference was made to a proposed "Winter Soldier Investigation." The purpose of the Winter Soldier Investigation eccording to the source was to inform the public about nuclear and hydrogen bomb storage sites, radio ectivity, end other dengors creeted es e result of existence of these devices, possibly in Japan. This information was reportedly compiled for future possible presentation before the United States Senate and the San Diego source stated that there were people in high Government positions end in the Pentagon willing to testify regarding this matter.

The San Diego Office requested Los Angeles end San Francisco to contact any sources who were in ettendance et the VVAW Regional Conference at Santa Berbare for additional information concerning the Winter Soldier Investigation and furnish any information to the Bureeu.

The file indicates that this communication was initialed for the filo by SA and there is no indication that any ettempt wes made to query our sources in the VVAW concerning this information. In conversation with SA he stated that it was his position that none of the San Francisco sources were specificelly sent to the VVAW conference and, therefore, he did not feel it was necessary to contact eny sources.

Volume III, Section 87-B, Page 12, of the Manual of Instructions, specifically states that the objectives of these investigations is to efford coverege of ell important ramifications of an organization's ectivities, coupled with devolopment of

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admissible evidence egainst an organization's officials or violation of Federal laws. Failure to contact sources in these areas eutomatically precludes accomplishment of this important task.

EXPLANATIONS REQUESTED:

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SA is requested to explein why he failed to relay this information to Agents handling VVAW sources since the possibility exists that although the San Francisco Office did not send any of their sources to the conference at Santa Barbara, some may have attended or our sources may have been in contact with persons who did in fact attend end would, therefore, have information concerning the Winter Soldier Investigation.

Supervisor is requested to explain why in his overall supervisor be incled to detect this dereliction on the part of SAME to insure that possible information in possession of our sources was appropriately dissemineted to interested offices and the Bureau.

Comments of SAC requested, including his recommendation for administrative action portaining to SA and and Supervisor

Comments of SA The failure to relay information to other Agents is regretted and an oversight on my part. Every effort will be made to prevent a future reoccurrence.

Comments of Supervisor

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file did not come up on tickler and I was not aware that contacts with sources had not been followed up. 1 shall exercise more care and closer supervision.

Comments of SAC CHARLES W. BATES:

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Supervisors will be instructed to make every effort to provide closer supervision.

Omissions of this nature will be discussed with Agents in conference and every effort to provide closer supervision.

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